

EARTHQUAKE DEATH LIST INCREASES TO 25,000

MANY TOWNS HAVE BEEN LAID WASTE

Estimates Place Italian Dead and Injured at From 25,000 to 50,000

NATION ARISES TO AID

Thirty Thousand Soldiers Are Dispatched to Centers Where Force of Quake Is Greatest

ONE HUNDRED SHOCKS OCCUR

ROME, Jan. 14.—The toll of dead and injured in the great earthquake that swept over central and southern Italy has not yet been made up, but all advices reaching Rome indicate the ever growing extent of the disaster.

Towns with thousands of inhabitants have been overthrown and from some of these come details which show an immense loss of life. The estimates ran tonight from 25,000 to 50,000 dead and injured and yet there are several sections which undoubtedly felt the earthquake in full measure from which no estimates can be obtained. In the ancient territory of Marsi, which includes Avezzano, the victims are placed at 20,000. Only a small minority is left of the inhabitants of Avezzano, who numbered approximately ten thousand.

Fifteen other towns and villages in that section have been laid waste. King Victor Emmanuel is on the scene at Avezzano and 30,000 soldiers have been despatched to the various centers where the forces of the disturbance have been greatest.

Italy as a nation has arisen again to give succor, as she did at the time of the Messina earthquake six years ago, to those who have fallen in this latest catastrophe from which the country has suffered.

While the greater part of the damage was done by the first earthquake which occurred Wednesday morning at 7:55, there has been at least one severe shock since then which resulted in the collapse of many of the structures which escaped the first and it is estimated that more than one hundred shocks, for the most part of a minor nature, occurred during the twenty-four hours after the disaster.

Demolished or partly demolished towns dot that part of Italy from Naples northward to Ferrara and crosswise the peninsula from the Tyrrhenian to the Adriatic seas, over which the earthquake of Wednesday passed. Thousands of dead lie beneath the mounds of debris which once were dwellings, churches and public institutions which crumbled under the earth's vibrations.

Not even an estimate of the aggregate fatalities is yet obtainable as numerous places are still isolated owing to the severance of telegraphic, telephonic and railroad communication. It is known, however, that Avezzano is a necropolis and that also in Sorra, some 25 miles to the southeast, a large number of lives were lost. In Avezzano and vicinity it is estimated that 15,000 perished and that the dead in Sorra will total 1,000.

So far as is known about twenty towns have been absolutely leveled, while an almost equal number suffered serious damage.

In all these places persons were killed or injured. In the ruins throughout the day volunteers worked heroically endeavoring to extricate wounded or rescue the bodies of the dead. King Victor Emmanuel himself directed the work at Avezzano, where the piteous appeals of persons caught beneath wreckage could be plainly heard.

It is estimated that in Avezzano 4,000 persons are buried alive, some of them school children in an institution which collapsed.

Only four soldiers of the garrison of 400 in the town escaped when the barracks fell.

Sorra with its population of 20,000 was almost entirely destroyed. All the municipal and government authorities perished. Four hundred and fifty bodies already have been taken from the ruins there and a large number of injured are under treatment.

Trains arriving in Rome from the east are bringing hundreds of injured into Rome where they are being taken to hospitals and private houses for treatment. Surgeons and nurses are being despatched from all directions into the stricken districts to minister to the needs of the injured, while troops are being sent to the ruined or damaged

DEADLOCK ON SPEAKER OF HOUSE CONTINUES

SEVENTEEN HOLDOUT REPUBLICANS GIVE NO EVIDENCE OF WEAKENING

Situation on Democratic Side Offers No Encouragement Toward Settling the Tie-up—Wets Talk of Bi-Partisan Alliance but Move Is Bitterly Opposed.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 14.—The second legislative week of the forty-ninth general assembly ended today with indications that the deadlock on speaker of the house is no nearer a solution than it was when the session started. Provine, the Republican caucus nominee, closed the week with the sixty-two Republican caucus votes still for him but with no evidence of weakening on the part of the seventeen holdout Republicans who are insisting upon a "wet" speaker.

Republican friends of Provine are authority for the statement that a sufficient number of Republican house members have formed themselves into a "last ditch" brigade to make impossible the selection of any other candidate on the Republican side. At the same time, other Republicans were whispering around the word that the caucus candidate is discouraged to the point of surrendering and that it is certain the deadlock will be broken next week.

The situation on the Democratic side offers no encouragement toward settling the tie-up. Anti-Browne Democrats got together long enough today to stop his vote on one ballot, but on the next roll call they were gone again with two new candidates in the field.

A call was issued today for a Democratic house caucus to be held next Tuesday night. Some of the members of that party were outspoken, however, in the declaration that they will never participate in a party caucus so long as the "wet" and "dry" issue is to form the line along which the fight is made.

"Wets" in both the Democratic and Republican ranks have been talking of a bi-partisan alliance, as the only solution of the situation. There is bitter opposition to such a movement, however, and any attempt of a break in this direction will be strenuously opposed by both Democratic and Republican party leaders.

It is expected that the Republicans and Democrats of the senate will clash next week over the question as to whether the chamber shall proceed to transact any other business before the election contests are disposed of.

At least two Democratic senators have gone on record as opposed to the transaction of any business, other than the organization of the upper branch, while the election contests are pending.

It appears certain that no attempt will be made by the Democratic side to seat the two Democrats claiming election in the districts in question. At least five Democratic senators have declared themselves opposed to such proceeding.

The three roll calls on speaker in the house today resulted:

Candidate	16	17	18
Provine (R)	62	62	62
Rethmeier (R)	16	16	16
Fieldstead (R)	1	1	1
Purdunn (D)	29	30	28
Browne (D)	1	1	20
Merritt (D)	1	18	
Mitchell (D)	13	14	
Groves (D)	1		
Houston (D)	1		
Green (D)	1		
Donahue (D)	1		
Totals	145	143	143

NOTABLE GATHERING WITNESSES INAUGURATION OF IOWA GOVERNOR

DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 14.—A notable gathering of legislators, politicians and prominent men and women witnessed the inauguration of Governor W. L. Harding this afternoon in a joint assembly of the Iowa senate and house of representatives. The governor's address to the assembly was a warm defense of law making bodies and he deplored the condemnation often thoughtlessly heaped upon legislative bodies.

Conservation of soil fertility attracted considerable attention from the governor. The inaugural ceremony was not elaborate.

Tonight Governor and Mrs. Clarke held a reception for the general public at the state house.

RESUME FULL TIME. Houghton, Mich., Jan. 14.—The copper range consolidated mines, which have been operating on half time since the beginning of the European war, resumed full time today. The order affects 2,500 men.

MARRIES GERMAN PRINCE. Berlin, via London, Jan. 14.—(10:30 p. m.)—Miss Elizabeth Reid Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reid Rogers of Washington, D. C., was married at noon today in Trinity Church to Prince Christian of Hess. The prince is a nephew of the German empress and is a captain in the German navy.

BRYAN PROTESTS AGAINST THREAT BY CARRANZA TO CLOSE OIL WELLS

Most of Oil Plants in Tampico Owned by Foreign Operators May Be Shut Down Because of Refusal to Pay Heavy Assessment.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Secretary Bryan has sent a vigorous protest directly to the Carranza authorities at Tampico, against their threat to close the great oil wells in the vicinity of Tampico because the foreign operators refused to pay a heavy assessment levied by the Mexicans. At the same time the matter was brought to the attention of General Carranza himself.

Most of the oil plants are owned by American and British capital. From time to time lately there have been complaints against decrees of the Carranza officials, reports coming directly from state department representatives as well as through the interested foreign embassies.

The latest advices indicated that the Mexicans were preparing to summarily shut down all of the plants unless the money demanded was forthcoming.

AWARDS IN AVIATION ARE ANNOUNCED BY AERO CLUB

Annual Banquet Is Attended by Several Hundred Government and Civilian Aviators and Friends.

New York, Jan. 14.—Awards in aviation were announced at the annual banquet of the Aero Club of America here tonight attended by several hundred government and civilian aviators and their friends.

Rear-Admiral Robert E. Peary, U. S. N., retired; Brig. Gen. George P. Scriven, chief signal officer, U. S. A.; Assistant Postmaster General Joseph Stewart, Lieut. Jerome C. Hunsaker, U. S. N., and Representative John J. Fitzgerald were among the guests.

The 1914 collier trophy was awarded to Elmer A. Sperry and Lawrence B. Sperry for the invention, development and demonstration of their gyroscopic stabilizer, which won a \$10,000 prize in a competition in France last year.

The Mackay army trophy, presented by Clarence H. Mackay for annual competition by American officers under rules promulgated by the war department was awarded to Captain Townsend of the Dorr Pilot and Lieut. F. W. Fitzgerald observer for demonstration in a scouting competition last fall.

The Aero club's medals of merit were distributed as follows:

For American development of a certain type of stable machine, W. S. Burgess; for breaking American distance and duration records, Captain T. F. Dodd, U. S. A., for winning the New York City Fourth of July aeroplane race, Harold Kantner; for constructing the America, solving in one short experiment the problem of doubling the size of flying boats and applying two and three motors to one aeroplane, Glenn H. Curtiss; for successfully breaking American altitude record for pilot alone, Theodore C. Macauley, DeLloyd Thompson, Captain H. LeRoy Muller, U. S. A., American altitude and duration records for pilot and one passenger, Glenn L. Martin; American cross-country record for pilot alone, W. C. Robinson, for rendering great assistance in scouting work in connection with the occupation of Vera Cruz, Lieut. P. N. L. Bellinger, Lieut. Commander Henry C. Hustin, Lieut. Richard Sauley and Ensign Melvin L. Stoltz, all of the United States navy.

CONSIDER PLANS TO ASSIST CUBAN WAGE EARNERS TO ORGANIZE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Plans for assisting the wage earners of Cuba to organize and affiliate with the American Federation of Labor were considered here today by the executive council of the federation. It was decided to lend all possible aid to the movement.

The council also determined to inaugurate an active campaign to bring all local unions in the various states into their respective state federations and to continue its efforts to secure the enactment of legislation against "speeding up" shop management systems.

After a discussion of the workmen's compensation law recently enacted by Massachusetts, the council voted to urge all state federations of labor to seek the enactment of similar legislation in their states.

CONFIRM RE-APPOINTMENT OF PRESIDENT GUTIERREZ. El Paso, Texas, Jan. 14.—Official confirmation was received here today of the re-appointment as provisional president by the Villazapata convention of Eulalio Gutierrez, George C. Carothers, who has waived his resignation as state department representative upon urgent request of the Washington government left to join Villa in the field. It was reported that General Villa had refused to receive Leon Conova as a state department agent on account of Conova's alleged participation in the escape from Mexico of Eduardo Iturbide who acted as chief of the federal district just after the Carranza evacuation.

FRENCH ADMIT REVERSE ALONG RIVER AISNE

AFTER CONTINUOUS ENGAGEMENTS GERMANS FORCED THEM TO YIELD

Kaiser Is Present at Operation Which Results in Capture of Several Thousand Prisoners—Petrograd Claims Progress on Vistula—Eighteen Russ Generals Are Said to Have Been Discharged.

A reverse of the allies along the river Aisne, in the neighborhood of Soissons, is admitted in the latest French official statement, although the possible effect of the German advance is officially minimized.

After continuous engagements, which lasted nearly two days, the Germans forced the French to yield in front of Vregny, to the east of Crouy. It is explained by the French war office that the flooding of the river Aisne destroyed several of the bridges and thus rendered precarious the communications of the troops operating on the right bank.

These troops were withdrawn, as it was thought impossible to send reinforcements to their support.

"The success is a partial one for our adversaries," says the French statement, "but will have no influence on the operations as a whole."

Emperor William himself was present at these operations which resulted in the capture of several thousand French prisoners and were continued throughout January 12th and 13th.

Petrograd claims the Russian troops have progressed on the right bank of the lower Vistula, where the German cavalry was repulsed. On the other front the fighting is made up largely of skirmishes and artillery duels.

The general staff of the Caucasus devotes a statement to the operations in Azerbaijan where it is explained it became expedient to regroup the Russian forces, necessitating the evacuation of certain places previously occupied. No important action took place. Only an engagement by the Russian advance guard. British aviators early in the week dropped bombs on the German position in Antwerp, according to a Netherlands' newspaper despatch. The damage done by the bombs has not been ascertained.

Eighteen Russian generals have been discharged from important positions, according to the Hamburg Fremdenblatt.

Geneva reports that members of the Austrian nobility and aristocracy and Viennese financiers are depositing large sums of money in Switzerland and also giving orders for the purchase of quantities of American securities.

The American secretary of state has acknowledged, in a friendly spirit, the receipt of the preliminary reply of the British government to the American note protesting against the treatment accorded neutral commerce by British warships.

No comment was made by the secretary in view of the fact that it is Great Britain's intention to reply later in detail.

TWO BOYS SKATE INTO "HOLE" ON THIN ICE AND ARE DROWNED

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Jan. 14.—Robert Lord, thirteen years old, and Glenn Brown, sixteen, drowned this afternoon when they skated into a hole in the ice on the Sangamon river, five miles north of this city.

Robert Lord and Virgin Brown were skating some distance ahead of the latter's brother, Glenn, when both struck a film of thin ice and sank into the water. Glenn Brown went to their assistance. He grabbed both boys and attempted to save them. He pushed his younger brother to a point of safety and had gone back after the Lord boy when he was carried beneath the ice. The body of but one of the victims, that of Glenn Brown, had been recovered when the search was given up on account of darkness.

ALABAMA LEGISLATURE PASSES BILL TO MAKE WHOLE STATE "DRY"

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 14.—A bill to make Alabama a prohibition state after June 30th, 1915, was passed today by both houses of the legislature. Should Governor O'Neill disapprove it prohibition leaders claim it can be passed over his veto. The vote today was 74 to 27 in the house and 26 to 9 in the senate.

Governor O'Neill will be succeeded next Monday by Charles Henderson, an avowed local optionist.

WILL NOT ATTEND INAUGURATION

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 14.—Declaring he is being supplanted ten days before expiration of his constitutional term, Governor Ben W. Hooper announced in a statement today he would not attend the inauguration of Thomas C. Rye, as his successor. Governor Hooper, a Republican, charges that Democratic legislatures delayed his inauguration in 1911 and sanctioned that of Rye, a Democrat, before the legal date.

BRYAN ACKNOWLEDGES RECEIPT OF BRITISH PRELIMINARY REPLY

Notes With Satisfaction That Principle of International Law as Set Forth by the United States, Had Been Accepted.

Washington, Jan. 14.—In a note delivered today by Ambassador Page at London, Secretary Bryan acknowledged receipt of the preliminary reply of the British government to the American government protesting against the treatment of neutral commerce by the British fleet. He expressed appreciation of the friendly spirit in which the communication had been received and noted with satisfaction that the principles of international law set forth by the United States had been accepted.

Further comment, Mr. Bryan said, would be premature at this time in view of the intention of the British government to reply later in detail.

Following is a paraphrase of the secretary's note: "The friendly spirit in which the British government received the American note of December 28th, is appreciated. No doubt is entertained by us that the cordial relations between the governments will continue, pending diplomatic discussion. This government notes with satisfaction that the principles of international law, as set forth in the American note, are accepted by His Majesty's government. As the original note is being examined with care by the British government with a view to replying further and in detail, it would seem premature for me to make further answer at this time."

"It is the intention of this government to consider in connection with the further reply of the British government the points raised by Sir Edward Grey in connection with the preliminary answer."

CHICAGO PACKERS OPPOSE BILL TO REGULATE COLD STORAGE

Believe Present System of Inspection Is a Sufficient Protection to the Consumer.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Representatives of Chicago meat packing concerns appeared today before the house inter-state and foreign commerce committee in opposition to the McKellar bill to regulate the cold storage of products. G. L. McCarthy of the National meat packers association; W. B. Ferris of Morris & Co., and W. J. Gardner of Swift & Co., told the committee that so far as meat products were concerned they believed that the present system of government inspection was a sufficient protection to the consumer. Mr. Ferris argued that a legal limit on the length of time food products could remain in cold storage was unnecessary because trade conditions forced the sale of cold storage meats before they could deteriorate.

He asserted that the cold storage facilities of the packers were in no way used as a means of controlling prices but that by cold storage the packers were able to equalize the meat supply, storing the product in times of plenty to be sold in time of scarcity.

FOOD SHORTAGE AT MONTEREY ASSUMES SERIOUS PROPORTIONS. LAREDO, Tex., Jan. 14.—A food shortage at Monterey is assuming serious proportions, it was announced today at Nuevo Laredo, across the border from here by Carranza officials who said some of the Carranza troops have returned to Monterey which they recently evacuated.

The Monterey chamber of commerce, it was announced, was trying to get corn in wagons. Apparently there is no regular train service into that city. No trains ran between Nuevo Laredo and Monterey today.

The food supply is nearly spent in Nuevo Laredo, there being no bread, flour nor corn for sale and most of the stores were closed today.

DARNELL FILES ANSWER.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—The Rev. James M. Darnell, pastor of the Henry E. Simmons memorial church in Kenosha, Wis., until his matrimonial affairs were brought to the attention of the church trustees today filed his answer to a bill for divorce brought against him by Doris Vaughn Darnell. The answer neither admits nor denies that he married Doris Vaughn November 3rd, 1914, as alleged in her suit. Darnell denied that he had lived with Ruth Soper Darnell as his wife in Kenosha.

INVESTIGATE AMERICANS' ARREST.

Laredo, Tex., Jan. 14.—United States Consul Garrett at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, today began an investigation of the arrest of Headley White, his son William White, and William Barres, three American stock men of Laredo, who were arrested in Nuevo Laredo yesterday. Garrett is charged with the three Americans' charge against the three Americans' attempt to drive cattle from the Mexican side without paying the export duty. The cattle, 450 head, were confiscated.

GOVERNOR COLE BLEASE RESIGNS UNEXPECTEDLY

SOUTH CAROLINA EXECUTIVE GIVES NO REASON FOR ACTION

Filing of Resignation Automatically Ends Term—Lieut. Gov. Smith Is Sworn in—Governor-elect Manning Will Take Office Tuesday.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 14.—Cole L. Blease, whose career as governor of South Carolina has been marked by many extraordinary public acts and utterances, resigned unexpectedly today, five days before the end of his second term of two years. He gave no explanation, simply filing with the secretary of state and legislature this signed statement: "I hereby resign my office as governor of South Carolina."

Filing of the resignation automatically ended Blease's tenure of office and Lieutenant Governor Charles A. Smith immediately was sworn in to act as governor until the inauguration, Tuesday, of Richard I. Manning, elected last November.

Some members of the legislature greeted the message of resignation with cheers. Most of the legislators have been political enemies of the governor and at a conference Tuesday night they considered impeachment proceedings to remove him from office. No action was taken, however.

Both Blease's friends and opponents tonight professed ignorance as to the cause of his retirement.

Extensive exercise of executive clemency has been one of distinguishing features of Blease's administration.

"I love the pardoning power," he said, soon after he became governor; "I want to give the poor devils another chance. I hope to make the number of pardons an even thousand before I go out of office."

Records show he exercised clemency in a total of 1,708 cases. One of his last acts as governor was to issue paroles to four men serving life terms for murder and communications, paroles and pardons to 23 other prisoners. Less than 100 convicts remain in the state penitentiary.

One of Governor Blease's acts was the issuance last Monday of an order disbanding the state militia because he considered it would be "unfair and unjust" to turn over the organization to his successor "in its present condition." Differences between himself and the war department, he added, had resulted in serious breaches of discipline and general disorganization of the militia corps.

Charles A. Smith, who will be governor for five days, is a political supporter of Blease and was defeated for the Democratic nomination for governor last summer by Manning. At the same primary Governor Blease was defeated by Senator E. D. Smith for the nomination for United States senator.

TWO ARE GIVEN PRISON TERMS FOR CONSPIRACY TO OBSTRUCT JUSTICE

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Lewis E. Dickinson, an attorney, and Robert E. Malone, an attaché of his office, were sentenced to five years imprisonment, and Frank P. McMahon, court room hanger-on, to four years today when they were found guilty of a conspiracy to obstruct justice.

They were convicted in connection with an offer to introduce perjured testimony in the case of John P. Cummins, a manufacturer, who had been indicted on a charge brought by Dorothy Moore, his former stenographer.

HEAR OPERATOR'S ARGUMENT.

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 14.—The federal conciliators in the strike of the miners in the eastern Ohio coal fields heard the opening arguments of the operators today and will leave tomorrow for Columbus, Ohio, to take up the matter with the miners. A committee of seven operators, headed by W. R. Woodford, president of the Pittsburgh Vein Operators' association of Ohio, met with the conciliators today.

May Blue Stem Sells at \$1.48. Portland, Ore., Jan. 14.—Twenty thousand bushels of March Blue Stem wheat sold on the Portland Exchange today at \$1.48 per bushel, an advance of one cent over yesterday and within a half cent of the record price paid for May Blue Stem on January 9th.

February Blue Stem advanced four cents to \$1.45. March oats sold at \$38 a ton, 50 cents higher than yesterday.

WILL CONTINUE IN FOOTBALL. Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 14.—The Universities of Nebraska and Iowa will continue to compete in football. After nearly two months of negotiations the Iowa Athletic management today decided to accept Nebraska's offer for a renewal of the two year contract on the guarantee basis.

WHEAT PRICES FLY TO NEW HIGH MARK

"Exports to End Soon" Cry that Sends Quotations Almost Out of Sight

BAKERS THROW HANDS UP

Declare Battle to Maintain Five Cent Bread Is Losing--Seventy Cent Flour Jumps to Ninety

DOLLAR SACK SAID TO BE IN SIGHT

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—"Exports to end soon" was the cry that today sent wheat flying up almost out of sight at \$1.43 3-8.

Bakers threw up their hands today and declared the battle to maintain 5-cent bread was losing ground. Flour which formerly sold at retail at 70 cents a sack went today to the householder at 90 cents. The dollar sack was said to be in sight.

Five governments of Europe were reported today to be actively in the wheat market on this side of the Atlantic in addition to a large number of individual buyers from foreign fields than ever before known. The result was figured to be exportation at the rate of 8,000,000 to 10,000,000 bushels a week.

While the wheat market here today was in a blaze of excitement the minority of farmers who still own wheat were said to be in many cases hanging on for \$2 a bushel, just twice the general ideal under normal conditions. Approximately 25 per cent of the 1914 crop is estimated by experts to be still in the hands of farmers.

In general the men who have sold out their grain are the renters and those who needed the money to meet notes and pay mortgage interest. Those who have hung on are the men who can afford to wait.

The governments which as distinguished from individuals are direct purchasers in the United States are the Swiss, Greek, Italian, Dutch and French. So far the British government has done nothing as a government, but Great Britain's food supply is said here to be down to a sixty day basis and if Great Britain as a government should enter the market the result in the opinion of Chicago experts would be hard to foresee.

Reaches Record Price.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 14.—Cash wheat here today sold 2 1-2, a 4c higher than yesterday. This was a record price and was due to reports of continued heavy buying by Europe.

Sell Five Cargoes For Export.

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 14.—Five cargoes or around 1,750,000 bushels of spring wheat have been sold for export on the Duluth market during the last 48 hours. It started yesterday with sales of two cargoes and three more were disposed of today.

Exporters were still in the market for spring wheat at the close today.

This development in the foreign demand for spring wheat has started by eastern millers and they were reported to be bidding. It is estimated that all but a small lot of the wheat in elevators and afloat at Buffalo is now controlled by one Duluth house and that with the foreign competition for it, millers will find difficulty in filling their needs.

Several weeks ago when eastern millers appeared to be holding back in expectation of picking up grain at a lower range later the Duluth operator credited with having charge of the bulk of the grain said: "They will be tearing their hair to buy this wheat before very long."

Buying from Chicago of Duluth May wheat was reported today.



WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Illinois: Fair Friday, Saturday increasing cloudiness, probably snow or rain north.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures recorded Thursday were:

Jacksonville	38	48	30
Portland	32	34	22
Boston	36	38	28
Buffalo	40	40	28
New York	62	70	44
New Orleans	68	74	43
Chicago	34	44	23
Detroit	34	38	28
Omaha	40	44	30
St. Paul	22	28	26
Helena	22	26	26
San Francisco	54	56	62
Winnipeg	6	8	4

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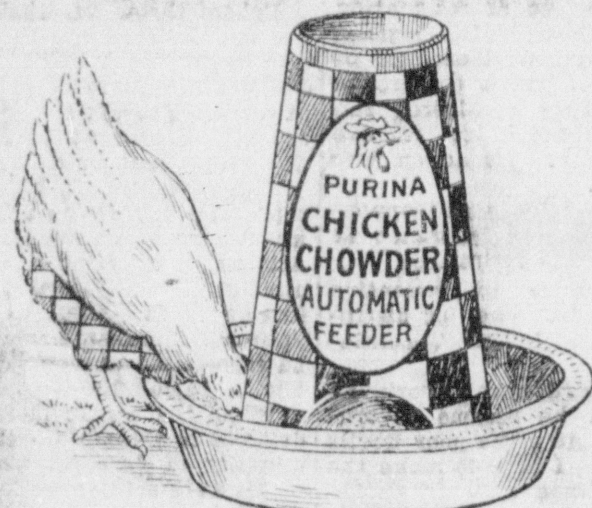
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Mrs. Young Vigorous at 70.

Today marks the seventieth birthday of Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, superintendent of the Chicago schools. The splendid success which has attended Mrs. Young's educational work clear up to the present moment is at once an argument for the fitness of woman to hold the most responsible of positions and a further argument that three score years and ten may find the mental vigor of the individual at the high mark rather than on the decline.

There are a great many able women in public life in America but few of them have the balance, the poise, the vast amount of common sense that characterizes Mrs. Young. She has been in educational work for half a century and today those most intimate with her work are constantly surprised at the physical strength that she exhibits along with unwaning mentality.

Mrs. Young, who recently was re-elected superintendent of Chicago schools, was born at Buffalo, January 15, 1845. She was educated in the Chicago schools and the University of Chicago. She has been a teacher since 1862, has taken a prominent part in educational discussions, has written books on education; in fact her long and useful life have been given over to the advancement of learning in the public schools.

Her first high office was that of district superintendent. Later she was professor of education at the University of Chicago, and then became principal of the Chicago Normal school. She has been head of the schools of Chicago since 1909. Although she has been bitterly assailed by her enemies, and once resigned, she has the backing of the best interests of Chicago. Mrs. Young has been honored by educational bodies, and was the first woman president of the National Education association. The improvement and expansion in the school system of Chicago under her dominating influence have attracted universal notice.

Wheat Prices Soar Higher.

In Chicago yesterday May wheat sold above the 1.43 mark and there was naturally a wild time among the speculators. The sharp advance was caused by the fact that at least five European nations were said to be buying wheat and flour and by the belief that the supply abroad is much shorter than had been supposed to be the case. Meanwhile bakers in Chicago have thrown up their hands and practically say there is no use trying to maintain a five cent price on bread.

The high price for wheat seems to be occasioned by an actual demand abroad and those who have been watching the market condition believe that the high levels will be practically maintained. Nearly all tenants and land owners sold their wheat long ago at prices ranging from seventy cents to a dollar so that few of them have profited by the big advance. If however the war continues abroad and prices do not slump off materially in coming months the farmer will have his chance next summer.

Thus far the heavy advances on wheat have not had the effect which might be expected on corn and this grain is likely to feel the impulse of an advancing market before long. There are a good many farmers who still have their corn and they will be on the alert to take advantage of any opportunity for good profit. Losses from hog cholera and other troubles really entitle the farmers hereabouts to a good long profit on something.

In Union There May be Strength.

A member of one of the west side churches was yesterday regretting the fact that the Sunday evening services of most churches are so poorly attended. The reason was suggested that while there has possibly not been a lessening of interest on the part of the church members in "good things" that during passing years there have grown up activities which are supported mainly by church people, activities which while not distinctly religious have much to do with bettering social conditions and require a vast amount of time.

This leads to the further suggestion that this thing of having an evening church service is a pitiful handful of people present, most of them there from a sense of duty is hard on both the pastor and the people. A minister can "preach" with far more earnestness, force and enthusiasm if he has a big audience and the auditors themselves listen more attentively and find more of helpfulness in the service.

The question of securing audiences is not a local matter but is an acknowledged problem the country over. Not long since Dr. Gussauls addressing a Sunday evening audience in a Chicago church mentioned that it was a lamentable fact that there were 10,000 people within a mile of the church and that not three hundred of them had gathered for the service.

With this condition prevailing

why do not some of the Jacksonville churches unite for their evening service? A united effort in this line would give pastors less arduous work, make better music possible, reduce expenses and should strengthen that very desirable feeling of friendliness among the churches. It is not within the province of a secular newspaper to name churches which might well try such a plan but from the "secular" viewpoint it does seem that there are at least three churches on the west side which might with profit try out the union evening service plan.

Federal Bills Discussed at National Conference.

There is a good chance of the Palmer-Owen federal child labor bill's being passed by the present Congress provided it can be brought to a vote. This was the opinion expressed by the Hon. A. Mitchell Palmer of Pennsylvania at the 11th annual conference of the National Child Labor Committee which has just been held at Washington. "The bill is on the House Calendar," Mr. Palmer said, "and if Congressmen could only be flooded with letters and telegrams from their constituents it would surely come to a vote. One good thing about Congress is that it does respond to the popular will, when the popular will is unmistakably expressed."

Others who spoke at the Conference in favor of the bill included Senator Kenyon of Iowa, Henry P. Kendall of Massachusetts, W. H. Swift of North Carolina, and William H. Malbie of Maryland. Mr. Malbie wondered whether American people cared more for crabs or children, and pointed out that the federal bill to protect migratory fish had received the support of upholders of state's rights from those sections of the country which oppose a federal child labor law.

The conference passed unanimously resolutions calling upon the U. S. Bureau of Education to obtain and publish current statistics about illiteracy, because, as Mrs. Florence Kelley reminded the conference, census figures on the subject are out of date before they are available.

WHAT WOMEN CAN DO AS OFFICE HOLDERS.

Federal and National—Diplomat—Henrietta Hoegh, 1st Secretary Norway's Legation in Mexico.

Assistant U. S. Dist. Atty.—Mrs. Annette A. Adams, at San Francisco.

Register of Land Bureau—Mrs. Mary W. Dargin, at Denver, Colo. Chief of Children's Bureau—Miss Julia C. Lathrop, at Washington.

State—Senator—Mrs. Helen Ring Robinson, Colorado.

Senator—Mrs. Francis W. Munds, Arizona.

Representative—Mrs. Rachel Berry, Arizona.

Representative—Miss Marian Towne, Oregon.

Commissioner of Education—Dr. Margaret Schallenberger, California. Strike Mediator—Betsy Kjelsberg, Christiania, Norway.

County—Treasurer—Miss Gertrude Jordan, Cherry County, Nebraska.

Auditor—Mrs. Carrie Trueman, Pueblo County, California.

Clerk—Miss Bertha McDonnell, Jefferson County, New York.

Supt. of Education—Mrs. Gertrude Schwittay, Marietta County, Wisconsin.

City—Mayor—Mrs. Clara C. Munson, Warrenton, Oregon.

Treasurer—Miss Jeannette Friedman, Shelton, Wash.

Comptroller—Miss Bessie Townsend, Atlantic City, N. J.

Auditor—Mrs. Merle A. Cutler, Kansas City, Kas.

Assessor—Miss Ida A. Ryan, Waltham, Mass.

Councilman—Mrs. F. E. Herring, Tyro, Kansas.

Chief of Dept. of Corrections—Dr. Katherine Davis, New York City.

Supt. of Public Buildings—Miss Vera Ryan, Waltham, Mass.

Inspector of Highways—Mrs. Edith W. Pierce, Philadelphia.

Chief Market Inspector—Mrs. Sarah A. Evans, Portland, Ore.

Supt. of Education—Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, Chicago.

Deputy Probate Judge—Miss Nellie Elder, Warren, Ohio.

Juvenile Court Judge—Mrs. E. C. Runge, St. Louis.

Police Magistrate—Mrs. C. W. McCullough, Evanston, Ill.

WHAT WOMEN ARE DOING.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 14—Miss Janet R. Rankin, daughter of Prof. Rankin of the University of Minnesota, has been appointed a member of the educational efficiency bureau by Governor Philipp.

Washington, Jan. 14—Mme Rosika Schwimmer of Budapest, an international figure in the feminist movement which has swept Europe during the past decade, is lecturing in America in behalf of peace. She will speak in St. Louis, Detroit, Chicago and other large cities of the west.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 14—Recognition of a woman as a national authority on sociology comes with the appointment of Dr. Carrie Weaver Smith of this city on the national sociological committee at the Panama-Pacific exposition.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 14—Mary Roberts Rinehart, the novelist, who sells this week for France to write war articles, is said to have been promised \$50,000 for this work. She will go to the front as a nurse.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 14—Mrs. Anna T. Steiner has been appointed constable and supervisor of dance halls by Mayor Curley. She is the first woman ever called to fill the post in Boston.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 14—Friends of the Countess de Chambrun, nee Longworth, have been much interested in her recent articles written in French for La Revue de Paris, a

literary magazine of the highest authority in France, and dealing with Shakespeare and Bacon.

New York, Jan. 14—Miss Esther Cleveland who has inherited a large share of her mother's beauty and charm, is taking a nurse's course at the Y. W. C. A. in this city, with the eventual possibility of going to France to nurse wounded soldiers.

WINCHESTER

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Woodall are the proud parents of a baby girl, born (yesterday) Thursday morning.

C. S. Gorman went to Beardstown Tuesday on business, returning Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Carey spent Wednesday at the home of Allan Coultas and family near Riggsport.

Mrs. W. D. Gibbs spent Wednesday in St. Louis.

Dr. Oscar Edmondson of Clinton, Ill., is visiting relatives here.

The Household Science club held their first meeting of the year Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. C. Hill. After a short business meeting the following program was given:

Plano duet—Misses Vivian Bregle and Lillian Silbert.

Recitation—Miss Beatrice Hains-further.

Vocal solo—Miss Louise Frost.

Recitation—Miss Louise Sperry.

Vocal solo—Mrs. W. H. Kinson.

A most delicious three course luncheon was then served and the club adjourned after a delightful afternoon.

The choral society has their first meeting of the second term last evening in the grade school building.

Dr. J. Walton Dace gave a very interesting lecture on "Hygiene" at the Lyric Wednesday night. The lecture was illustrated by twenty two slides which were thrown on the screen.

NOTICE.

To the secretary of all lodges, societies, clubs, labor or trade unions and military organizations in the city of Jacksonville:

Please be kind enough to send in the name of your organization, together with the secretary's name and time and place of meeting, for publication in the forthcoming directory. No charge will be made for such publication.

All such notices must be in by the 18th inst.

CHAS. M. SAMSON,

Publisher, Grand Hotel, City.

NEW CAR ARRIVES.

William Newman, Jr., has received a handsome new Hudson No. 54 automobile. It has the divided front seat and of the latest pattern in everyway. Mr. Newman has also received a car load of Hupmobiles.

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Swift and Co. are receiving big shipments of cream from the surrounding country for their butter business. Thursday the company received 290 gallons of cream via the C. & A. alone.

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MONDAY, Jan. 18—Paramount picture, ONE OF OUR GIRLS. Four long reels.

THURSDAY, JAN. 21st—

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LYNNVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKinney have been occupying their new home since January 1st.

Simon Blackburn gave a dance in the Masonic hall Tuesday night which was largely attended. Several from other places attended.

Charles H. Gibbs lost a horse with cornstalk disease last week.

F. J. Schofield has a horse which is sick with the cornstalk disease but is getting along nicely.

The State inspectors were around this part of the country last week and found no signs of foot and mouth disease.

A crowd from around this neighborhood charivariated Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKinney Wednesday night of this week.

The chorus practice of the Christian church which has been meeting at the home of C. H. Gibbs is very successful. There will be practice every Friday night unless otherwise announced.

Mrs. John Dodsworth had the misfortune to fall Wednesday night in such a manner that she dislocated her shoulder. She is resting easy.

PROBATE COURT NEWS.

In the matter of the estate of Mary E. Dickins. Report approved.



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CITY AND COUNTY

W. G. Jones of Chicago was in the city yesterday.
Ivan Wood was a Thursday visitor in the city.
C. A. Osborne is a business visitor in Chicago.

L. Herzog of St. Louis was in the city Thursday.
Willard Young, Sr., visited in Litterberry Thursday.

Monroe M. Harris has gone to live in Osage, Iowa.

W. J. Carlson of Peoria was a city visitor yesterday.

George Mullens of Concord spent Thursday in Jacksonville.

E. L. Browning of Mt. Sterling was in the city yesterday.

Newton Moss of Sinclair spent Thursday in Jacksonville.

E. K. Blair of Waverly was a caller in the city yesterday.

Floyd Allan of Lynnville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Amos Shirkey was a visitor in the city yesterday from Arcadia.

William Kastrup was a business visitor to Concord Thursday.

J. R. Blayney of Tallula was a visitor in the city yesterday.

W. E. Brown of Petersburg made a trip to Jacksonville yesterday.

N. Reiss of Chicago was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Philip Stock of Arcenzville was a Thursday visitor in Jacksonville.

Miss Mary Wright was a visitor in the city yesterday from Franklin.

Henry Slack of Franklin transacted business in the city Thursday.

Lee Mason and George Peters left yesterday afternoon for St. Louis.

I. L. McKinnis of Springfield was a business caller here yesterday.

George B. McKinney of Barry was in the city yesterday on business.

Samuel Davis of Litterberry was among the city shoppers yesterday.

Miss Carrie Spires has come to visit friends in Peoria and Canton.

Mrs. Lillian Probst of Tallula was a shopper in Jacksonville Thursday.

William Burmeister of Sinclair was a visitor in the city yesterday.

O. C. Coultas of Lynnville was a business caller in the city yesterday.

R. V. Hurdle of Mt. Sterling was a visitor in Jacksonville Thursday.

Fred Ranson of Lynnville was a business caller in Jacksonville Thursday.

Mrs. E. C. Roach and baby, Robert C., have returned from Passavant hospital to their home on West North street.

F. N. Stout of Ripley was a visitor with Jacksonville people yesterday.

Leslie Switzer of the Buckhorn neighborhood was in the city yesterday.

Lewis Perbix of Markham was a caller on city business men yesterday.

Constable A. Ferguson went to Arcadia yesterday on official business.

Floyd Geiger of Perry Springs was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Connolly were in the city yesterday from Murrayville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Carey of Perry were shoppers in the city yesterday.

George Fossard of Indianapolis was in the city on business Thursday.

E. B. Berry of Pittsfield was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Nellie Shelton of Bloomington is visiting friends in Jacksonville.

James Hicks of Alexander was a Thursday business caller in Jacksonville.

W. R. Deverman of Lincoln was a business caller in the city Thursday.

Albert Killam of Markham was among the Thursday visitors in Jacksonville.

John German was in Jacksonville yesterday from the Buckhorn neighborhood.

E. J. Hembrough was in the city yesterday from the Asbury neighborhood.

Deputy Sheriff John Stice made a trip to Concord yesterday on official business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ashbaker of Murrayville were in the city Thursday.

J. L. Vincent of Arcadia was in the city yesterday attending to business.

Jerry Flynn was in the city yesterday from the Buckhorn neighborhood.

Hal Foster of Sinclair was among the Thursday business visitors in the city.

Albert Dunning of Alexander was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Ora Hamm of Concord was a shopper with city merchants yesterday.

W. S. Corsa of White Hall was a Thursday business caller in Jacksonville.

C. L. Hatfield of Decatur was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Crabtree of Manchester was calling on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Stevenson of Little Indian was among the city shoppers yesterday.

Thomas Meade of Chicago was transacting business in the city Thursday.

J. M. Durdy of St. Louis was calling on the print shops in the city yesterday.

Joseph A. Bolger of Worcester was a business visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

P. W. Smith of Virginia was a visitor in the city on business Thursday.

Victor Lockhart of Prentice was transacting business in Jacksonville yesterday.

Miss Myrtus Martin of Chicago is a guest at the home of Mrs. Mary Slaughter on East College street and with other friends in the city.

John C. Bullock and daughters, Bertie and Pearl of Springfield and S. J. Baxter of Woodson attended the funeral of Mrs. Anna E. Turner.

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Harry Deewester, formerly of Jacksonville, was in the city yesterday evening enroute for Valley City where he is a telegraph operator for the Wabash.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Gruenberger of Chicago are expected in the city today.

G. D. Roberts and Ora Ralston were Franklin visitors in the city Thursday.

Edward Ward of Joy Prairie was a Thursday business caller in Jacksonville.

Miss Virgil Brewer of Franklin was among the shoppers in the city Thursday.

Georgian Bacon's S. S. class will hold a candy sale at Boxell's store Saturday.

Miss Viria Rogers of the southeast part of the county was a city shopper yesterday.

Mrs. Agnes Crawley of Carrollton was a Thursday business caller in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clayton are visiting in Alexander at the home of her brother.

R. G. Crum of Virginia was among the business callers in the city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Bland of Franklin made their city friends a visit yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Andre have returned from their visit in Michigan and Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Curry of Griggsville were shopping in Jacksonville yesterday.

M. Davidson of Joy Prairie was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.

William Cleary and son, Crum, of the northeast part of the county was in the city yesterday.

William Dodswoth and son of Litterberry were trading with city merchants yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jewsbury of Markham were among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

William Trainer of the county farm was in the city yesterday looking very prosperous.

William Bourn of north of town is visiting at the home of his son, Ray, for a few days.

Charles Summers of Meredisia was among the Thursday business callers in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Enola of Bloomington were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Louis Freitag and daughter from the northwest part of the county were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Mary E. Swain and daughter of Prentice were among the shoppers in the city Thursday.

Mrs. Kate Dwyer and Mrs. Hainey were among the Arcenzville shoppers in the city Thursday.

The Owens Stock company left yesterday over the Burlington for an engagement in Waverly.

Miss Marguerite Rehnach of Franklin is the guest of Miss Lucile Farrell of East College street.

George W. Hogan and W. J. Moore of Winchester were business callers in the city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kilam, residing in the east part of the county were city callers yesterday.

C. J. Shafer, head of the Swift & Co. beef department, is attending to matters of business in Springfield today.

Valentine Lehr of Chambersburg was in the city Thursday to see his daughter, who is a patient at Passavant hospital.

Mrs. Derrick left Thursday via the Burlington for Walla Walla, Wash. She will make the trip by way of St. Paul.

John Pate was in Meredisia Thursday buying horses, and J. W. Woods was in Chapin and Merritt for the same purpose.

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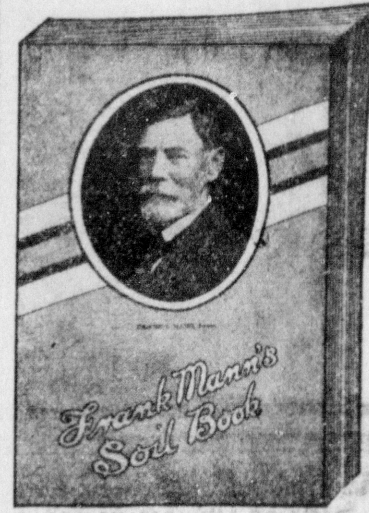
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EXCAVATION WORK IN DRAINAGE DISTRICT COMPLETED

Ditch Over Five Miles in Length on Mauvaisterre Creek Finished by Contractors.

The excavation work on the Mauvaisterre creek drainage district has been completed by the contractors, Chapman Bros. of Calina, Ohio. The contract called for the removal of something over two hundred thousand cubic yards of dirt, and the price paid was 7.49 cents per cubic yard. The total paid the contractors by the commissioners was \$15,162.76. The commissioners of the district are John A. Moss, H. A. Ogle and F. J. Blackburn, and although the ditch has been completed so far as excavation is concerned, their work is not yet done. H. L. Caldwell, of the Caldwell, Nelson Engineering Co., is the engineer for the district and his familiarity with work of this class has aided materially in the ease with which the whole proposition has been handled.

Chapman Bros. brought their equipment to Morgan county early last June, and the task of placing it in position began June 18th. The work has progressed so rapidly that the contract was completed six weeks ahead of the limit, as the commissioners had agreed with the contractor that March 1 would be satisfactory for the completion. The ditch as constructed is 5.3 miles in length and extends from a point on the Potter farm just north of Jacksonville cemetery to the west line of the John Noonan farm. Between the same points Mauvaisterre creek in its winding course measures 22.7 miles. L. O. Vaughn is attorney for the district.

It is conceded by all familiar with the district that the amount of land which has thus been redeemed for cultivation amply pays for the expense which the organization of the district has caused. It is probable that later on other property owners may take up the matter and extend the ditch further west as benefits of the work already done become more apparent.

Basketball: Rout vs. Bluffs, Friday night. Liberty Hall, 8 o'clock.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all for the beautiful flowers, love and sympathy shown in the death of our sister and mother, Mr. and Mrs. George W. VanZandt, Clarence, Stephen and Arthur Turner.

CARD OF THANKS.

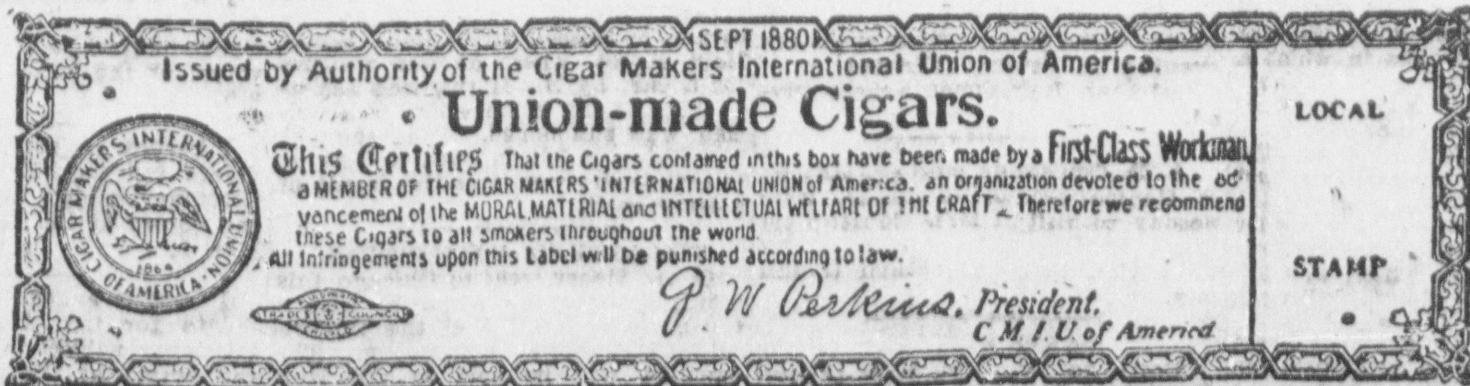
We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors, also the Odd Fellows, who so kindly assisted us during our recent bereavement, also for the many beautiful flowers.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our thanks to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in our late bereavement in the death of our mother, Mrs. Cora L. Hull, and for the beautiful flowers received.

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CHARGE NEGRO FIREMEN HIGHER INSURANCE RATE THAN WHITES

Witness at Wage Hearing States Black Man's Liability to Disease Is Greater and He Is Less Resourceful in Emergencies.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Actuarial tables introduced today at the railroad wage arbitration showed that insurance companies charge a higher rate of insurance for negro firemen than for their white brethren. "This," explained Dr. W. B. Cory, the witness, "is because the negro is considered less capable, less resourceful in emergencies than the white man and his liability to disease is greater."

No insurance company desires engineers and firemen on its books, Cory said, because of the high risk and where they do write insurance for them it is at excess rates.

G. N. DeGuire explained that railroads require applicants for work to sign away their right to recover for injuries and provide information of their histories which, he said, could be used as a sort of black list.

He said that he knew personally of one instance of blacklisting and James M. Sheehan, attorney for the railroads, broke into the direct examination with a request for the name of the offending superintendent.

"May I suggest," said W. S. Carter, who was examining DeGuire, "that there will be plenty of time for you to get this information on cross-examination."

Sheehan apologized, but adjournment was taken for the night without reaching cross-examination. Carter remarked that the brotherhoods of engineers, he thought, were freer from the menace of the blacklist than members of other unions in railway service. No road, he opined, would employ a machinist who had been on strike on another road.

AMERICAN FARMER NEED NOT WORRY ABOUT FOREIGN COMPETITION

Secretary Houston Addresses Several Hundred Farmers at Annual Meeting of Kansas Board of Agriculture.

Topeka, Kans., Jan. 14.—That the American farmer need never concern himself about competition with the farmers of the outside world was the message David F. Houston, secretary of agriculture, gave to several hundred Kansas farmers in his address before the yearly meeting of the Kansas State board of agriculture here today. The secretary also urged the early enactment of farm credit legislation and closer co-operation among the farmers.

"It is gratifying to know that at the end of fifty years in foreign trade in agriculture commodities this country is still an exporting nation," the secretary said. "The balance in favor of exports during the last year was approximately \$309,000,000."

"Even in our Southern American trade of which we hear so much, we export more farm, forest products to that continent than we import. Much has been said about the importation of Argentine corn and beef and it is worth while to know the exact situation. The shortage of 1913 corn crop of the United States as compared with the 1912 crop was 300,000,000 bushels. The entire crop of Argentina that year was less than one third of this shortage. The importation of corn from all countries, including Argentina for the year ending October 14th, 1914 was 16,000,000 bushels or seven tenths of one per cent of domestic crop. During this same period the United States exported 11,000,000 bushels."

"The same general situation is presented in the trade in meats. Most other countries of the world are dependent upon us for their food supply and for many years to come Europe is likely to be particularly dependent upon us."

CONTRIBUTED TO CHILD'S DELINQUENCY IS CHARGE.

Charged with contributing to the delinquency of his eight-months-old child, Kenneth Skeens was Tuesday night required to give \$500 bond before Justice of the Peace James Reilly of Springfield for a hearing on the charge at two o'clock Saturday afternoon, Jan. 22.

Complaint was made against Skeens by Shurle Burke, his mother-in-law, who declared that Skeens did not support the eight-month-old child. Paul Skeens, in the proper manner, Skeens was arrested at Franklin and taken to Springfield by Deputy Sheriff John Stice. The complainant lives at 116 South First street, Springfield. She told the justice of the peace on swearing out the warrant that her daughter is ill at her home on South First street.

FINE FURNITURE.

While G. B. Andre was attending the furniture exposition he saw some of the furniture that is to go into the home of Mrs. Charles Gates and her future husband, Mr. Judd, of Connecticut.

It will be remembered that Mr. Gates died suddenly while in Colorado and left an immense fortune. The furniture of the new home which is to be in Minneapolis is to cost half a million dollars. Mr. Andre says the dining room chairs will cost \$800 each, and will be made to special order and all will be in keeping.

HERD IN GOOD SHAPE.

The state officials examined the herds belonging to Messrs. Hopper and Hoffman Thursday and found them in splendid condition. This dairy wholesaler their milk to W. J. Lucas.

A. B. Carey, Jr., was in the city yesterday, en route to his home.

EUROPEAN WAR NOTES

Petrograd, Jan. 14.—The following official statement was issued from general headquarters tonight: "Yesterday we made progress on the right bank of the lower Vistula, our troops changing positions in a manner favorable to them. The cavalry of the enemy operating in this region was repulsed, leaving Serpetz in the possession of our vanguard."

"On our other fronts nothing has occurred other than skirmishes and artillery duels. Our reconnoitering parties have been active."

"On the left bank of the Vistula isolated German attacks were easily repelled by our fire."

"On various portions of our Austrian front the enemy tried to cannonade our position with heavy guns but the efficient fire of our batteries soon silenced the Austrian artillery."

Berlin, Jan. 14.—By wireless to Sayville, L. I.—A German official communication says: "The total results of the fights on January 12th and 13th, northeast of Soissons were 3,150 prisoners, eight heavy guns, one revolver gun, six machine guns and much war material."

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Petrograd, Jan. 14.—The official report from the Caucasus issued tonight follows: "To avoid any false understanding of our operations in Azerbaijan during the last few days, the general staff of the Caucasus army deems it expedient to give the following explanation: "From the beginning of the decisive action in the principal region of this theatre of the war it appeared necessary to regroup our troops. In accordance with this we proceeded in Azerbaijan to concentrate our troops at certain points which demand the evacuation of several points we had occupied previously."

"This re-arrangement of our forces was not under pressure of the enemy but in accordance with a specially devised plan. During this operation no important action took place, except an engagement which our advance guard had near Mianadous. Thus we did not evacuate Azerbaijan but adopted changes in position answering better the new developments."

Geneva, via Paris, Jan. 14.—(6:55 p. m.)—A new Zeppelin airship left Friedrichshafen yesterday on a trial flight of an hour. After skirting Lake Constance the airship disappeared over the Duchy of Baden and later returned safely to its shed. Prior to making the trip a German aeroplane made a scouting tour in order to prevent a surprise by French aircraft.

It is reported that the new Zeppelin will leave soon for service on the North Sea.

Geneva, via Paris, Jan. 14.—(4:45 p. m.)—Swiss banks are receiving large sums of money and script from members of the Hapsburg family, members of the Austrian aristocracy and Vienna financiers as deposits and also large orders to buy American securities. Recently one Austrian archduke sold a large estate in the Tyrol at virtually half its value.

Paris, Jan. 14.—(10:40 p. m.)—The following official communication was issued at the war office tonight: "Last night our troops were successful in a sudden attack with the object of overwhelming the trenches recently constructed by the Germans to the northeast of Fouguesort, North of Roye (department of the Somme)."

"The attacks of the enemy in the region to the north of Soissons have been stopped."

As has been said in the communication of this morning the flooding of the river Aisne, which destroyed several of our bridges had rendered very precautions unfication of our troops operating on the slopes of the right bank. We were thus prevented from sending them reinforcements. This has been the essential cause of the withdrawal of these troops which were fighting under difficult conditions.

"We were obliged to abandon several cannon as the result of the breaking down of a bridge. We have rendered all of them unfit for use."

"The Germans have made prisoners particularly of wounded men who in the withdrawal movement we were not able to take with us."

"On our side we have made a number of important prisoners, not wounded, belonging to seven different regiments."

"To sum up, the success is a partial one for our adversaries which will have no influence on the operations as a whole."

"In fact by reason of the obstacles presented by the Aisne and the dispositions which we have taken, the enemy will be unable to utilize to the south of the river the success which is of purely local character."

"On the rest of the front there is nothing to report."

Miss Martha Hoover is visiting friends in Chapin for a few days. She is visiting Dr. Dace's sister, Mrs. C. E. Cole and husband of this city.

LUKEMAN BROS CLEARANCE SALE

NOW IN PROGRESS

If you have been waiting for this, we are coming to meet you with merchandise at prices never quoted before in the history of clearance sales. And the high standard merchandise we have to offer should bring you here—if for no other reason. Hirsh, Wickwire Co., Stratford, Dress Well, L, System and Michael Sterns' Clothes are the makes we have. Look all around, but before buying come here, as we intend to make this sale an item long to be remembered by the values we will give you.

FIGHTS GERMAN WHEAT PRODUCTS.

Washington, Jan. 14.—An interesting customs case involving wheat products from Germany, is being contested by the Treasury Department, in retaliation on Germany for its treatment of American wheat.

The case was recently decided against the department, which claimed 15 per cent ad valorem, on the product, which is a cereal meal derived from wheat, corn, rye, or barley. The Board of General Appraisers sustained the claim of free entry, and the Treasury Department instructed the attorney general's office to appeal the case.

The significance of the Treasury Department's action lies in the fact that the U. S. government is determined to retaliate on Germany for imposing a duty on wheat, wheat flour, and its products when imported from the United States. It is understood that the American officials believe that Germany's import is of such a character as to warrant the denial of free entry into this country of any German wheat products. The Department is said to hold that the imposition by Germany of a duty on American wheat when the present American tariff makes no such burden, constitutes a discrimination precluding the admittance of similar German products free of duty.

In view of the importance of the issue, it may ultimately be carried to the Supreme Court, unless in the meantime Germany modifies its tariff treatment of American wheat.

PHILADELPHIA URGES RAPID TRANSIT.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 14.—At a mass-meeting to be held in the Academy of Music tonight, leaders in business, in the professions and in the labor world, will demand that the city government provide a fund of \$46,000,000 for rapid transit. The building of subways and elevated lines, with terminals and transfer accommodations, is the plan urged by the business organizations of the city. It is the belief of civic leaders that the time has come when the city must make the improvement and force the transit lines to use up-to-date facilities for transporting the public.

MASONS LAY CORNERSTONE

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 14.—One of the most important events in history of Masonry in Michigan was the laying of the cornerstone of the new Masonic Temple here today, which brought together a notable gathering of high masons. Thousands of little trowels were sold to raise money to build the new temple.

Sherman Luttrell of the vicinity of Franklin was visiting his daughter, Mrs. Floyd Sturges of this city, yesterday, who is a patient at Passavant hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Dace of Rush-

ASSISTING IN TAX WORK.

T. H. Wright, formerly a deputy in the office of the Morgan county clerk, is now assisting in the tax work in the office of the Scott county clerk. There were some complications in the spreading of the taxes in Scott county and Mr. Wright was sent for because of his familiarity with this class of work.

Albert Linton of Chandlerville was a visitor yesterday in the city on business interests.

Read the Journal; 10c a week.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Feltner



THE WAY UP

Great men from low conditions rose, as history records; from poverty, with all its woes, they reached for high rewards. Abe Lincoln used to study law by feeble candle light, while stretched upon his couch of straw, on many a winter night. Himself he had to educate, he could not go to school; and so he climbed to high as we go to press some boys are striving hard, in poverty and grim distress, to gain the world's regard. In garrets dark they con the page that points the upward way, and walk with thinker and with sage, and they'll arrive some day. Alas, such helpful, wholesome joys, appeal not to the fool; where one thus reads, a thousand boys are busy playing pool. I've read ten thousand sprightly tales of boys who rose to fame, from whacking males or splitting rails, or kindred humble game. The halls of congress always show a score or more of men, who in the days of long ago hoed corn to earn a yen. And everywhere the great and good from small beginnings rose; they milked the cows and saved the wood and colled the garden hose. I've never heard, though, of a wight (exceptions prove the rule) who reached a great and shining height through skill at playing pool.



Walt Mason

Save Your Pennies

Sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday.
New navy beans, the pound ... 8c
New Lima beans, the pound ... 9c
Choice head rice, the pound ... 8c
Currants, clean fruit, the pkg. ... 12c
New prunes, the pound ... 11c
Dried apricots, a good value ... 16c
Dried peaches, clean fruit ... 9c
Canned kidney beans and peas ... 8c
Tomatoes, the can ... 13c
Green Lima Beans ... 13c
Van Camp's Tomato Okra Soup ... 8c
A good canned milk, large can ... 8c
A large pkg. washing powder ... 19c
4 bars wool soap ... 18c
2 bottles bluing ... 9c
2 cans K-Cleanser ... 9c
1 doz. oranges ... 18c

Sargent's Market

320 E. State St. Ehnle Bldg.

INSURE IN RELIABLE COMPANIES

L. S. DOANE

Farrell Bank Building

Our Policy

Our business is established on a quality basis. It has grown because we act on the belief that we can maintain our position in the trade just so long as we make better

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than our competitors.

Mollenbrok & McCullough

Duncan Building.

Winter Weather Is Here

Cold weather always makes the coal pile go rapidly. When you think about a new supply remember that we sell the very highest grade Carverville and Springfield Lump and Nut. No better coal, no better service and prices as low as the lowest.

Otis Hoffman

E. LAFAYETTE AVE.

Both Phones 621

Weight—Service—Quality



HURRY!

The scanty coal supply is still becoming smaller—order NOW your fuel from us and escape the discomfort and inconvenience of being caught this coldest month of the year.

Clean, good fuel of splendid burning qualities—the coal that gives the most heat and lasts the longest.

ORDER NOW!

YORK & CO.

Both Phones 88

THURSDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.

Met at noon. Consideration of the district of Columbia appropriation bill was continued.

Judiciary committee voted favorably report on nomination of Frederick L. Siddons, as justice of the District of Columbia supreme court.

Shields bill to incorporate the national organization of boy scouts favorably reported by judiciary committee.

Recessed at 5:40 p. m. to 5 p. m.

Reconvened at 8 p. m. to consider miscellaneous bills.

House.

Met at noon. Representative Gardner's resolution calling on the secretary of war for information on coast defenses was passed almost unanimously.

The river and harbors bill was up for consideration again.

Began detailed consideration of river and harbor appropriation bill carrying \$34,000,000.

Adjourned at 5:20 p. m. to 11 a. m. Friday.

AERO DINNER TONIGHT.

New York, Jan. 14.—Medals and trophies will be awarded tonight to birdmen of America, by the Aero Club of America, which holds its annual meeting and dinner at the St. Regis. Among the invited guests are Orville Wright, Alexander Graham Bell, Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, Major General Leonard Wood, the aeronautical heads of the army and navy, and many sportsmen. The aviators who flew over Vera Cruz during the occupation by American troops will get medals, and the Collier Trophy for the greatest achievement of the past year in American aviation will be awarded by vote.

It is expected that the aero men will discuss the proposal that the United States government purchase the Wright patents and encourage the building of airships as an industry and as a defence move.

Henry Martin of the northeast part of the county was a caller in the city yesterday.

BAD COLD? HEADACHY AND NOSE STUFFED?

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends
Colds and Grippe in Few Hours.

Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until you have taken three doses, then all gripe misery goes and your cold will be broken. It promptly opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves the headache, fullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffing. Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

GIRLS! GIRLS! TRY IT. BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR.

Make It Thick, Glossy, Wavy, Luxuriant and Remove All Dandruff.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff, cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any druggist or toilet counter and just try it.

AN EASY WAY TO END CATARRH FOREVER

Simple Home Treatment Destroys
Germs of This Dangerous Disease.

The reason why so many people who suffer from catarrh never seem able to get cured is that they are continually seeking the momentary relief of sprays, douching, greasy creams, ointments, etc. Such things do open up the swollen nostrils and clear the head temporarily beside stopping for a while the disgusting blowing, hawking, spitting and choking but they never cure. To drive out catarrh for good you have got to get down to its real cause. Catarrh is a germ disease. The air is always full of catarrh germs thrown off by one person and absorbed by another and when the system does fail to throw off such germs they find permanent lodgment in the nose, throat and head and multiply rapidly.

The germs of catarrh can best be destroyed by inhaling the pure medicated air of Hyomei (pronounced Hy-o-mei). This splendid and powerful combination of oil of Eucalyptus with other healing agents has a wonderful germicidal action. You breathe its air into your nose, throat and lungs by means of a small hard rubber inhaler which Coover & Shreve and other leading druggists in this vicinity supply with every complete treatment. This medicated air is certain death to the germs of catarrh and drives them completely out of your system and when the germs are destroyed the catarrh with all its disagreeable symptoms will stop. Even two or three minutes use will give refreshing relief while if you will use it two or three times a day for a few weeks it will completely banish catarrh and every symptom of catarrh. As Hyomei is pleasant to breathe and is always sold by druggists everywhere with a positive guarantee of successful results or money back, surely no catarrhal sufferer should go long before trying this simple home remedy. Coover & Shreve.—Advertisement.

IF CONSTIPATED OR BILIOUS—"CASCARETS"

To-night! Clean Your Bowels and
Stop Headache, Colds, Sour
Stomach.

Get a 10-cent box.

Take a Cascaret tonight to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, uneasy, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action; a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.—Advertisement.

James W. Green expected to return yesterday afternoon to his home near Lamar, Missouri, after a pleasant visit of several days with home friends and relatives.

AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating money for the use of the City of Jacksonville, Illinois, for the fiscal year beginning January 1st, A. D. 1915 and ending January 1st, A. D. 1916.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS:

Section 1: That the following sums of money be, and the same are hereby appropriated and set apart from and out of the revenues of the said city for the expenses and liabilities of the corporation of the City of Jacksonville, in the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, for and during the fiscal year of the said City beginning at 12 o'clock noon January 1st, A. D. 1915, and ending January 1st, A. D. 1916, for the uses and purposes hereinafter designated to-wit:

Diamond Grove Cemetery Fund: \$300.00.

For the purpose of maintaining Diamond Grove Cemetery and paying expenses and repairs and improvements appertaining to said Cemetery the sum of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Jacksonville Cemetery Fund: \$1,500.00.

For the purpose of maintaining Jacksonville Cemetery and paying all expenses, repairs and improvements appertaining to said Cemetery the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Public Health Fund: \$200.00.

For the purpose of assisting in the care of tubercular residents of the city and to aid in the purchase of medicine and other remedies the sum of two hundred (\$200.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

City Hall Fund: \$2,000.00.

For the purpose of lighting, heating, and cleaning the City Hall including all the Council Chamber, City Clerk's office, Mayor's office, City Comptroller's office, Water Department office, Public Engineer's, Police Department, Fire Department, and all other offices of the several departments of the City and furnishing the same with supplies, appointments, appliances, including books and stationery, the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Civil Engineering Fund: \$2,500.00.

For the purpose of paying the salary and expenses of the public engineer and any additional expenses which may occur in the matter of special improvements the sum of twenty-five hundred (\$2,500.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Streets and Public Improvement Fund: \$7,000.00.

For the purpose of maintaining and keeping in repair all the streets, highways, sidewalks, crossings and sewers of the city; also including the salary of Superintendent of Streets the sum of seven thousand (\$7,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Streets and Public Improvements Horse and Vehicle Fund: \$500.00.

For the purpose of purchasing horses or vehicles for the use of the Streets and Public Improvement Department the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Sewer Fund: \$2,000.00.

For the purpose of paying for repairing sewers and flushing the same the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Fire Department Fund: \$20,000.00.

For the purpose of maintaining fire engine, any paying all expenses of the Fire Department, including Fire Hydrant rental, and the salary of fire chief and all firemen in said department the sum of twenty thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Fire Department Improvement Fund: \$10,000.00.

For the purpose of purchasing apparatus looking towards the permanent improvement of the Fire Department, the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Municipal Horse Fund: \$2,000.00.

For the purpose of purchasing feed for horses and taking care of the same, the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Fire Alarm Fund: \$1,500.00.

For the purpose of paying all expenses appertaining to fire and police alarm system of the City of Jacksonville, the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Fire Horse Exchange Fund: \$1,000.

For purpose of purchasing any horses needed in the Fire Department the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Water Supply Fund: \$20,000.00.

For the purpose of defraying all expenses appertaining to the Water Department, including the salary of the Water Superintendent and Engineers of the Water department the sum of twenty thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Water Works Improvement Fund: \$30,000.00.

For the purpose of paying for permanent improvements in the Water Department, in looking towards an increase in the Water Supply, the sum of thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Myrtle Street and East Independence Avenue Water Pipe Fund: \$5,000.00.

For the purpose of laying water pipe on Myrtle street and East Independence avenue, the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

City Building Repair Fund: \$1,000.00.

For the purpose of paying repairs on the City Building, the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Light Maintenance Fund: \$25,000.00.

For the purpose of paying all expenses appertaining to operating the Electric Light Plant, for the purpose of furnishing light, and power for pumping water to the City of Jacksonville, including salaries of all employees of the Light Plant, the sum

of twenty-five thousand (\$25,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Police Department Fund: \$10,000.00.

For the purpose of paying all expenses incurred in rebuilding the street lighting system and power equipment of the Municipal Lighting Plant and Pumping Station of the City of Jacksonville, the sum of thirty-five thousand (\$35,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Police Department Fund: \$10,000.00.

For the purpose of maintaining and repairing the city prison and police headquarters and paying all expenses of the police department including the salary of the chief, city matron and all policemen except the compensation of special policemen the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Printing Fund: \$1,500.00.

For the purpose of paying for all printing for the City of Jacksonville, the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Law Department Fund: \$2,000.00.

For the purpose of paying the bills, court costs and other expenses of the Law Department, including the salary of the City Attorney and his stenographer, the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Salary Fund: \$12,000.00.

For the purpose of paying salaries of all the city officers and other city employees not otherwise provided for the sum of twelve thousand (\$12,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Sanitary Fund: \$2,000.00.

For the purpose of paying expenses of the Sanitary or Health Department including salary of Health Warden, the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Contingent Fund: \$3,000.00.

For the purpose of paying the claims against the city incident to the expense of the audit of the city's books and for unexpected contingencies which cannot otherwise be provided for, the sum of three thousand (\$3,000.00) is hereby appropriated.

Election Fund: \$5,000.00.

For the purpose of paying all expenses of any general, or special municipal election in the year of 1915, the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Interest Fund: \$6,000.00.

For the purpose of paying interest on money advanced for the purpose of paying indebtedness and borrowed by the authority of the City Council, the sum of six thousand (\$6,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Special Assessment Fund: \$1,000.00.

For the purpose of paying the city assessments, on special improvements already finished and for which heretofore appropriations have been made and for tax sale certificates, the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Back Indebtedness Fund: \$10,000.00.

For the purpose of paying all claims against the city that were unpaid at the end of the last fiscal year and which have been properly approved claims against the said city the sum of forty thousand (\$40,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Special Assessment Deficit Fund: \$15,000.00.

For the purpose of paying a portion of the deficit in the Special Assessment account as shown by the audit of the special assessment record of the city the sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) is hereby appropriated.

Band Concert Fund: \$500.00.

For the purpose of having Band Concerts in Central Park the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Mathers Street Opening Fund: \$1,000.00.

For the purpose of paying the city's part in the opening of Mathers street the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Municipal Ice Plant Fund: \$10,000.00.

For the purpose of building, equipping and maintaining a Municipal Ice Plant the sum of forty thousand (\$40,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

West College Street Paving Fund: \$100.00.

For the purpose of paying the city's part in the paving on West College street, the sum of four hundred (\$400.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Central Heating Plant Fund: \$20,000.00.

For the purpose of building, maintaining and equipping a Central Heating Plant, the sum of twenty thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Sinking Fund: \$6,000.00.

For the purpose of dividing the payment of money levied by taxation to redeem outstanding city bonds of the issue of 1899, the sum of six thousand (\$6,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Public Library Fund: \$5,000.00.

For the purpose of maintaining the Public Library and Reading Rooms, all sums now in the hands of the City Treasurer collected for that purpose; all sums to be collected from all former library tax levied, and in addition to the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars more or less or such sums as may be collected for Library purpose by a two (2) mill tax as provided by the statute are hereby appropriated.

Bond Interest Fund: \$1,200.00.

For the purpose of paying interest on city bonds issued July 1st, A. D. 1899, the sum of forty two hundred (\$4,200.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Fire Department Special Fund: \$1,000.00.

For the purpose of paying for hose and other supplies for the Fire Department the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars; or such sums more or less as may be collected from the two (2) per cent tax on premiums paid by Fire Insurance Companies for insurance on property situated within the

limits of the City of Jacksonville, the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated.

Morgan Park System Fund: \$5,000.00.

For the purpose of maintaining Morgan Park System the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, more or less, or such sums as may be collected by a two (2) mill tax as provided by the statute is hereby appropriated.

Vehicle License Special Fund: \$3,000.00.

For the purpose of paying the expenses of streets and alleys repairs and improvement the sum of three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars more or less or such sums as may be collected for the licensing of vehicles in the City of Jacksonville, is hereby appropriated.

Section 2:

All revenues from taxes, licenses, fines, water department and all other sources of income (excepting special taxation and special assessment; and all other special taxes) shall when received be placed to the credit of the fund known as the General Fund, the City Treasurer shall upon order of the City Council transfer to the General Fund any and all balances remaining to the credit to any particular fund at the close of the fiscal year and according as the City Council may deem best or require.

The City Treasurer shall from time to time and at times during the fiscal year transfer to any particular and designated fund any specified portion of the general fund provided always that such transfer shall not increase the credit of any fund to any amount exceeding the amount in this Ordinance appropriated for such fund.

Section 4:

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with the provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 5:

An emergency is hereby declared, to exist for the passage of this Ordinance, and the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and its legal publication.

Passed at an adjourned meeting of the City Council this 12th day of January A. D. 1915.

Approved this 12th day of January A. D. 1915.

George W. Davis,

Mayor.

Attest:

R. L. Pyatt,

City Clerk.

FREMONT AND KIT CARSON.

Pen Pictures of the Pathfinder and the Famous Scout.

In "Kit Carson Days," by Edward L. Sablin, we get this glimpse of the personal appearance of Carson and Fremont when the two daring spirits first met:

"In June, 1842, came the fateful meeting of the trapper scout, already known throughout the west, and the Pathfinder whose great fame was still to come.

"The two men were opposites. Carson was Scotch-Irish, gray blue eyed, sandy complexioned (under his tan), light haired, rather flat featured, grumpy, but so quiet and ordinary both in appearance and manner that few not knowing his name would bestow upon him more than a passing glance. Fremont was French, flashing blue eyes, olive white complexion, thick brown hair, features regular and oval, disposition sensitive, quick, eager and indomitable. Few would forget him.

"Fremont was a scholar of both American and continental accomplishments. At this time Carson could not read nor write even his own name, and his speech even in 1861 was of patois wherein mingled Mexican, Indian and many a frontier English 'thar', 'fourt', 'massacred', 'pore', etc. But he spoke in more languages than did Fremont himself, not only being fluent in English, French, Spanish and several Indian tongues, all acquired orally, but also being well conversant with the sign language of red man and of trail."

Of this meeting on the Missouri, out from St. Louis, came comradeship first and a friendship that never ceased. In California and in the Mexican struggle the staunchness of both men and their loyalty to the flag were well tested.

FEMININE BEAUTY.

Maturity Has a Charm Greater Than That of "Sweet Sixteen."

There is a beauty quite apart from youth—the beauty of the mature woman. Some there are who maintain that beauty does not reach the zenith under the age of thirty-five or forty. In a measure this is borne out by the events of the antique past, which may likewise be parallel with instances of our own day.

Helen of Troy appeared on the scene at the age of forty. Cleopatra was past thirty when she met Antony. Aspasia, married to Pericles when she was thirty-six, was a figure brilliant in her world for thirty years after. When Diane de Poitiers was past thirty-six she won the heart of Henry II. and he was but half her age.

Anne of Austria was thirty-eight when described as the most beautiful woman of Europe. Mile Mar was heralded as the greatest of beauties at forty-five, and Mme. Recamier was at her best between the ages of thirty-five and fifty. Mme. de Maitenon was forty-three when united to Louis, and Catherine of Russia was thirty-three when she took her seat on the throne which she occupied for thirty-five years.

All these women were world famed for their beauty and gave the lie direct to that toothless old saw that buzzes the power of "sweet sixteen." The dew of youth and complexion of roses, it must be admitted, sometimes combine in a face that is unmoving, irresponsible, utterly lacking in the expression which goes to the making of a perfect molded visage.—Bohemian.

Christmas Savings Club

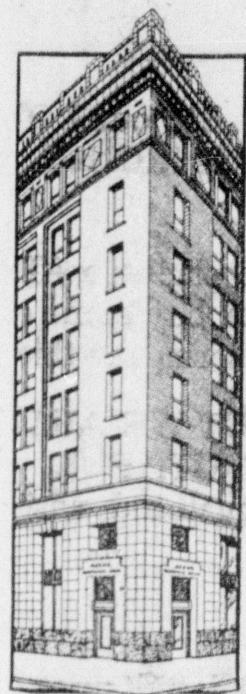
Which has been forming since December 21, 1914, at

The Ayers National Bank

IS STILL OPEN FOR YOU TO JOIN

AND INTEREST ON YOUR DEPOSITS WILL ACCRUE FROM DATE CLUB STARTED.

The Dimes, Nickels and Pennies you allow to slip through your fingers for things of little use to you will keep up your payments. Do not postpone joining for soon it will be too late.



When we opened our new Bank Building two years ago, we started our first Club and in December of that year paid about Seven Thousand Dollars.

One year ago, our second Club was started, and the week before Christmas we paid out to our Club members nearly Twenty-five Thousand Dollars.

This Money Went Into the Channels of Trade

The members had funds for their Christmas shopping and merchants were benefitted because the members had money to spend. Those who have tried it, like it, and they say they are going to join again.

You ask them what they think of it and what they say is the strongest proof of its advantages we can offer you.

It ought to amount to Fifty Thousand Dollars this year, and we believe it will. Just think what that will mean to you Christmas week of this year. Call and let Mr. J. J. Kelly, our Savings Teller, explain the plan to you.

FORCED SHOE SALE

This great money-saving event has been in progress ten days, with only five more to go. While hundreds have already taken advantage of the wonderful money-saving values, I am still quite a way from \$1,500 I must have by Saturday night, Jan. 16th, to satisfy my creditors. I have decided to cut my prices STILL LOWER regardless of cost for this final wind up of the greatest money-saving event ever pulled off in Jacksonville. Below I quote only a few of the many bargains to be found. I've got the shoes; you have got the money. Let us get together.

Lot No. 1	Lot No. 2	Lot No. 3
Superior \$5.00 and \$6.00 grade at	\$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes in tans and blacks, lace or button, for this week only	\$3.50 and \$4.00 Hannah and Superior
\$2.90	\$2.50	\$2.60
Think of it, lower than manufacturers' cost	Lay in a supply now. Shoes will be higher	Men's Overshoes cut to cost.
Lot No. 5	Lot No. 6	Lot No. 7
Ladies' \$3.50 Shoes at actual cost	Ladies' \$3.00 Shoes at	Odds and Ends in Ladies' Shoes. Some as high as \$4.00, in lace, only for
\$2.85	\$2.40	\$1.50
Patents in Cloth Tops or Kid. Dull, in all heels.	Dulls and Patents. High heel and low. In these are Baby Doll, Cloth Tops, Patent Button.	Mostly small sizes

Boys' and Girls Shoes Cut to Actual Cost BRING IN THE CHILDREN,

Positively No Goods
on Approval

A. SMITH

Prices Strictly
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The East State Street Shoe Man. Ill. Phone 1128

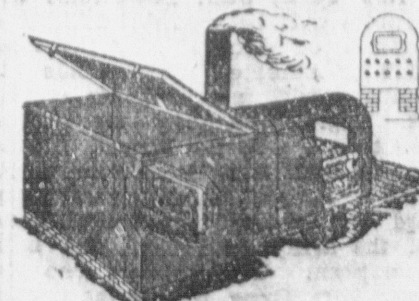
NORTHWEST EDITORS TALK.
Seattle, Wash. Jan. 14.—Prominent editors and educators are among the speakers at the third annual Washington Newspaper Institute, which opened today at the State University. Professors who are teaching journalism in various colleges joined with the editors in discussion of the practical workings of journalism. Sessions will be held tomorrow and Saturday.

CLERK A-L-RUN DOWN.
Restored to Health by Vinol.
Shelbyville, Ind.—"I am a clerk in a hotel and was all run down, no energy, my blood was poor and my face covered with pimples. I got so weak I had to put up an awful fight to keep at work. After taking many other remedies without benefit Vinol has restored my health and strength."—Roy F. Bird.

For all run-down, weak, nervous conditions of men and women, nothing equals Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic without oil. Try it on our guarantee. Lee P. Alcott, Druggist, and leading drug stores everywhere.—Advertisement.

CATTLE FEEDERS

Woods Improved Grain Softener



Pat. Applied for 100 bu. size.

The Woods Improved Grain Softener will add 100 per cent to the value of No. 2 corn for feeding cattle. It will add 50 per cent to feed for hogs and horses, and supplies the very feed to mix with silage for milk cows. If any one wishes these statements proven, I will furnish them a plant on six months trial, and if it proves my claims they help me sell my plants to their neighbors. If it fails I will refund all money paid to me for said plant. All plants are sold at \$5.00 per bu. measure, and guaranteed to do all I claim if used according to my directions.

We find by putting soda in the corn when cooking it helps make the corn more digestible enough to pay for the soda, and keeps the hogs in a healthy condition. We also make all the charcoal we need by closing the draft so it

You Should Worry If

it were difficult to find a safe and reliable remedy for the ailments due to irregular or defective action of the stomach, liver or bowels. These ailments are likely to attack anyone; likely, too, to lead to worse sickness if not relieved.

Beecham's Pills

are famous the world over, for their power to correct these troubles certainly and safely. They cleanse the system, purify the blood and act as a general tonic upon body, brain and nerves. Indigestion, biliousness, constipation, indeed, cause you prolonged suffering and expose you to danger if Beecham's Pills

Were Not On Hand

The Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World.
Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c, 25c.

In the candies where cream and butter are necessary for smoothness and richness—cream and butter are used in

Huyler's
FRESH EVERY HOUR

Our Sales Agent in Jacksonville is
Vickery & Merrigan

Huyler's Cocoa, like Huyler's Candy, is supreme

CLAIMS ALLOWED BY COUNTY BOARD

(The list of election accounts allowed by the county board will be published Saturday or early next week.)

Claims allowed at December term, A. D. 1914:

Election Account.

Election account	\$2,062.25
W. H. Dalton	1.85
Geo. D. Barnard	292.42
W. L. Armstrong	6.35
Armstrong & Armstrong	4.00
W. Weber & Sons	1.20
Sylvester Arbuckle	1.00
Samuel Ragan	20.00
Badger Drug store	4.00
J. J. Beerup	15.00
A. J. Brennan	2.30
Jacksonville Courier Co.	789.50
J. A. Obermeyer	5.25
Jacksonville Journal Co.	221.40

Inquest Account.

L. W. Reynolds	\$ 3.00
A. M. King	20.00
Cherry's Livery	4.00
Woods Transfer Co.	16.00
Geo. W. Wright	101.80

Charity Account.

Miller Bros.	\$ 5.50
Chas. Kehner	21.00
Weber & Sons	20.00
Armstrong & Armstrong	18.25
John Devlin	18.00
L. A. Barnhart	5.00
H. W. Struck	1.50
J. W. Hankins	9.00
L. H. Whitlock	10.50
B. F. Henderson	2.00
Fred Sheppard	12.00
R. M. Ferreira Co.	6.00
James Burge	9.00
Bergschneider & Kumble	41.50
J. B. Williamson	9.00
Schmalz & Sons	8.00
David G. Claus	36.00
Fred Davey	2.00
James Bryant	2.00
J. H. Zell	9.00
Wm. Switzer	1.00
C. C. Williamson	18.00
John J. Woulfe	1.50
John Frank	9.00
Glenn Goodall	7.50
U. J. Hale & Co.	68.59
Anderson & Bros.	38.50
J. H. Hubbs	12.75
Fred Kilner	5.38
John Tendick	8.58
S. Hexter & Co.	2.50
J. F. Burnham	5.62
Harry Fanning	6.00
May & Coultas	20.00
Alex Hopper	45.10
Berger Bros.	4.85
S. F. Sooy	3.00
Wm. McCurley	15.00
C. Howard	12.00
Ellen Hayes	15.00
Jacob Hill	25.00
Mary Huss	25.00
Chas. Kehner	15.00
John Devlin	15.00
Emma Weller	2.00
Wm. R. Steele	20.00
R. M. Ferreira	12.00
Eliza Miller	12.00
C. & A. Ry. Co.	.68
C. B. & Q. R. R.	1.00
W. W. Gillham	26.00
Henry Schaefer & Son	15.00
T. A. Wakely	118.50
J. H. McIntosh	17.00
W. S. Taylor	52.00
G. R. Bradley	70.00
H. C. Woltman	35.00
Geo. Stacy	5.00
J. U. Day	30.30
P. C. Thompson	10.00
W. C. Calhoun	8.15
White Hall Orphans Society	25.00

Road and Bridge Account.

Illinois Steel Bridge Co.	\$1,596.55
J. H. Spencer	27.36
Road District No. 11	35.00
James Guilane	1129.50
Harrigan Bros.	4.90
Herman H. Wessler	494.27
Graham Hardware Co.	.75

Printing and Stationery Account.

Geo. D. Barnard & Co.	\$ 75.90
Journal Co.	154.00
Jacksonville Courier Co.	75.10
Metropolitan Sup. Co.	4.58
F. J. Degen	27.60
Armstrong Book Store	26.40
L. M. Bunce	4.00
Printing and Stationery Dec. 22	25.25
Lois Magill	3.00
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co.	34.00
Illinois Printing Co.	51.65
P. F. Pettibone & Co.	2.40

Mother's Pension.

Francis Wehman	\$ 60.00
Astoria Griffin	90.00
Montine Sumpter	12.60

Criminal Account.

Harry Norris	\$ 8.00
Dunlap Hotel	85.00
Grand Hotel	28.00
T. J. Packard	2.50
Cherry's Livery	52.00
Henry Meister	1.00
Matt Fabin	1.40

Miscellaneous.

Boland & Co.	\$.75
F. L. Gregory	6.00
Illinois Telephone Co.	62.64
Perry White	16.00
D. Estaque	17.00
R. S. Miller	6.50
L. F. O'Donnell	19.50
J. F. Burnham	2.00

Court House Account.

J. F. Brennan	\$ 1.15
Ransdell Book Store	18.55
City of Jacksonville	59.85
Brady Bros.	1.35
Jacksonville Ry. & Lt. Co.	23.11
Snyder Ice & Fuel Co.	25.05
Grand Laundry	14.04
E. R. Frost	5.90
C. B. Massey	1.25
Jacksonville Pib. & H. Co.	15.55
Jacksonville Cigar Box Co.	1.40
North Ridge Brush Co.	10.50
Gravel Spring Co.	12.75
G. A. Sieber	4.80
Burroughs Add. Mch. Co.	2.50
Germo Mfg. Co.	24.99
Stephen Dunlap	15.25
H. H. Vasconcellos	48.77
Russell & Lyon	1.00
J. A. Obermeyer	12.35
Philip Becker	2.50
H. L. Calky	9.00
U. J. Hale & Co.	229.32

Jail Account.

O. B. Cannon	\$ 33.85
H. L. & B. W. Smith	2.05
J. A. Roberts	22.75
S. S. Knoles	1.00

Germo Mfg Co.	40.35
Hopper & Son	1.50
U. J. Hale & Co.	160.80
G. A. Sieber	41.65
Tom Duffner	1.00
James H. Brown	3.00
James Cruse	29.85
F. J. Garland	6.00
Graham Hardware Co.	21.40
Mallory Bros.	7.40
Brady Bros.	13.00
Armstrong & Armstrong	3.05
C. J. Depepe & Co.	4.17
R. T. Cassell	9.80
Mathis, Kamm & Shibe	2.25
Jacksonville Ry. & Lt. Co.	23.75
Andre & Aldre	5.25
H. Underwood	2.10
W. B. Rogers	865.55
City of Jacksonville	28.29
J. J. Mallen & Son	57.90
George H. Harney	13.30
Hall Bros.	.75
T. O. Hardesty	49.00

Poor Farm Account.

Jenkinson-Bode Co.	\$ 91.70
S. S. Knoles	.50
U. J. Hale & Co.	453.21
J. S. Alkire	56.33
J. H. Cain & Sons	35.40
Jacksonville Farm Supply Co.	29.50
H. J. Kennedy	1.00
Snyder Ice & Fuel Co.	8.10
D. D. Cody	30.49
Dorwart's	6.98
Dorwart Market	44.74
Lukeman Bros.	8.05
J. Burgert	8.00
Jos. Smith	6.00
Harrigan Bros.	2.80
R. T. Cassell	5.10
Michael Burke	5.05
Cody-Vannier China Shop	2.40
E. W. Bassett	3.00
Schmalz & Huffman	10.65
Schmalz & Son	2.10
Andre & Andre	3.75
C. S. Hillerby	9.10
Tom Duffner	13.10
Clarence Thompson	4.50
Jacksonville Pib. Co.	24.60
Bergschneider & Kumble	53.37
George S. Gay	13.90
George H. Harney	9.20
Fred Sheppard	11.50
D. E. Sweeney	9.50
Louis H. Engel	36.10

Criminal Account.

Henry W. English	\$ 39.00
B. F. Henderson	2.00
J. M. Hurst	21.20
Edward Beck, Sr.	15.90
Charles H. Ward	34.80
M. K. Bronson	21.20
A. W. Baldwin	21.20
J. H. Campbell	21.20
T. P. Lanning	26.50
Sheppard & Dunlap	42.40
Bancroft, King, Greenleaf Co.	21.20
Amos Henderson	21.20
W. E. Weitch	42.40
L. S. Doane	31.80
M. C. Hook & Co.	42.40
Walter & A. F. Ayers	42.40
E. Kettering	21.20
Springfield P. & M. Ins. Co.	31.80
J. N. Kennedy	21.20
James M. McCullough	26.50
D. E. Sweeney	21.20
The Johnston Agency	21.20
G. T. Wiswell & Son	31.80
Bancroft & King	31.80
James Guinane	10.00
Herbert Schumacher	6.00
Owen Hamilton	6.00
F. E. Blair	6.00

Poor Farm Account.

James McGinnis	\$ 2.50
Gilbert's Pharmacy	12.40

Jail Account.

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Pacific Hotel	\$ 136.00

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Restored To Health by Lydia
E. Pinkham's Vegeta-
ble Compound.

Montpelier, Vt. — "We have great
faith in your remedies. I was very ir-
regular and was
tired and sleepy all
the time, would have
cold chills, and my
hands and feet would
bloat. My stomach
bothered me, I had
pain in my side and
a bad headache most
of the time. Lydia
E. Pinkham's Vegeta-
ble Compound has
done me lots of good
and I now feel fine. I am regular, my
stomach is better and my pains have all
left me. You can use my name if you
like. I am proud of what your reme-
dies have done for me." — Mrs. MARY
GAUTHIER, 21 Ridge St., Montpelier, Vt.



An Honest Dependable Medicine
It must be admitted by every fair-
minded, intelligent person, that a medicine
could not live and grow in popularity
for nearly forty years, and to-day hold
a record for thousands upon thousands
of actual cures, as has Lydia E. Pink-
ham's Vegetable Compound, without
possessing great virtue and actual
worth. Such medicines must be looked
upon and termed both standard and
dependable by every thinking person.

If you have the slightest doubt
that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegeta-
ble Compound will help you, write
to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co.
(confidential) Lynn, Mass., for ad-
vice. Your letter will be opened,
read and answered by a woman,
and held in strict confidence.

Simple Way To End Dandruff

There is one sure way that has never
failed to remove dandruff at once, and
that is to dissolve it, then you destroy it
entirely. To do this, just get about four
ounces of plain, common liquid arvon
from any drug store (this is all you will
need), apply it at night when retiring,
use enough to moisten the scalp and rub
it in gently with the finger tips.
By morning, most if not all, of your
dandruff will be gone, and three or four
more applications will completely dis-
solve, and entirely destroy, every single
sign and trace of it, no matter how much
dandruff you may have.

You will find all itching and digging
of the scalp will stop instantly and your
hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky
and soft, and look and feel a hundred
times better.

Ready Help

in time of physical trouble caused by
indigestion, biliousness, resulting from
torpid liver, inactive bowels, is al-
ways given, quickly, certainly, safely
by the most famous of family remedies

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World.
Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c, 25c.

A BEAST OF BURDEN

If a man works hard all
his life, driven by the whip
of DAILY WANTS, which
exhaust his DAILY IN-
COME, he finds in his old
age that he has been sim-
ply a "beast of burden."
What's the use? SAVE
part of what you EARN,
while you CAN, and have
something to live on when
your earning days are over.
You may open a SAVINGS
ACCOUNT at this bank
with as little as ONE DOL-
LAR and get COMPOUND
INTEREST on all you put
into it.

F.G. Farrell & Co BANKERS

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Will not overlook

RAPP BROS

on East Morgan Street. Our
new line of suit cases, travel-
ing bags, purses, pocket books
are well worth your inspec-
tion

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Murrayville.
W. O. Beadles 12.20
Samuel Wild 12.45
S. A. Bracewell 10.00
J. K. Cunningham 9.20
Village of Murrayville 10.00
T. N. Bush 6.00
Edward Dobson 6.00

Nortonville.
George Cox 13.00
W. R. Spencer 13.00
O. M. McLamar 14.00
George E. Jones 6.00
Ernest M. Henry 6.00
Clarence Dalton 6.00
Thomas McLamar 10.00

Pisgah.
W. E. Barrows 13.00
Lloyd Cox 4.00
H. C. Stewart 5.00
Frank Wiggens 7.70
J. H. Dobyns 6.00
H. F. Trotter 6.00
E. O. Sample 6.00
S. J. Camm 10.00
J. B. Beekman 10.00
C. R. Caldwell 1.00

Prentice.
William Newell 18.10
Norman Dewese 12.80
V. H. Lockett 13.80
Ora Holmes 6.00
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L. J. Stewart 12.00
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H. S. Cully 13.00
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O. A. Rohrer 16.50
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Edward Turner 10.00
J. B. Lombard 9.00
L. T. Seals 10.00
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C. E. Butler 11.80
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Jacksonville No. 1.
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Jacksonville No. 2.
Pat Quigley 19.00
A. W. Becker 10.00
John E. Pires 10.00
F. A. Goes 6.00
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Richard Leary 3.00
Phil Grant 10.00
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Jacksonville No. 3.
John Devlin 12.00
Simoon Fernandes 11.40
Robert Clifford 11.00
Michael McGinnis 6.00
Joe Pulasky 6.00
Roy Fernandes 6.00
Eugene Kitterling 15.00

Jacksonville No. 4.
R. H. Headen 8.00
W. H. Vasconcellos 11.00
B. H. Nunes 10.00
Ben Cohen 6.00
H. E. Frye 7.00
E. P. Nunes 8.00
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Jacksonville No. 5.
John S. Sheppard 13.00
Fletcher Hopper 10.00
Earl Sutcliff 10.00
J. M. Vasconcellos 7.00
George Day 6.00
Richard Vasey 6.00

Jacksonville No. 6.
C. L. Reid 11.00
John Hadden 11.00
Herbert Challiner 13.20
Clyde Black 6.00
J. W. Middleton 7.00
W. B. Groves 10.00
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Jacksonville No. 7.
Walter Carter 13.00
Thomas Bussey 11.00
W. A. Tarzwell 16.00
Lee Lockman 6.00
Walter Bussey 6.00
O. B. Heintz 6.00
Frank Tarzwell 2.00
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W. H. Dalton 11.25
P. P. Thompson 10.00
H. B. Smith 10.00
J. O. Vosseller 9.00
H. C. Clement 6.00
P. P. Vickery 1.00
L. S. Doane 6.00
Florence K. King 12.50

Jacksonville No. 9.
P. M. Brewer 8.00
Charles H. Elliot 5.00
Edward Kastrup 3.00
Dan Bahaan 8.00
W. J. Wood 10.00
William Parrish 6.00
H. E. Anthony 6.00
H. C. Walter 6.00
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Jacksonville No. 9.
John Miner 11.00
Pat Devlin 12.00
R. L. McCullough 11.00
Thomas Rapp 6.00
John Hagel 6.00
G. F. Haigh 6.00
Wilbur Rogers 2.00

Jacksonville No. 11.
J. W. Catherwood 10.00
M. S. Harmon 11.00

C. A. Osborne 13.00
W. W. Ewing 6.00
D. Scott Sweeney 6.00
R. C. Cowgur 6.00
D. W. Howe 15.00
Jacksonville No. 12.
C. W. Cully 13.80
Thomas C. Reynolds 10.00
S. T. Gorham 4.00
T. J. Duffner 8.00
R. S. Hamilton 6.00
Davis W. Martin 6.00
T. C. Phelps 15.00
Louis Gause 6.00

CONCORD.

Miss Henrietta Eaton of Robinson,
Ill., is visiting her friend, Miss Hester
Deltrich.

Earl Abernathy, who has been
away for a few days attending hog
sales returned recently. Earl is a
promoter of the red hog industry
and reports within a short time, he
will have breeding stock of high class
for sale. Our community needs a
good breeder of the Duroc Jersey
breed and we believe that Earl is
equal to the situation.

Mrs. Glen Yeck is still poorly at
her home here but is interested in
all that pertains to the welfare of
those who are sick especially and is
always glad to have her friends call
on her and the other invalids in the
vicinity also.

Mrs. W. A. Crouse and son, An-
drew were visitors at her home in
Murrayville recently and is rejoicing
in the use of a nice storm convey-
ance.

Mrs. Jas. Mullens is still poorly
and not convalescing as her friends
wish for her to do.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Diggin, Mr.
and Mrs. Roy Abernathy and baby,
Mrs. Jas. Abernathy and John Ker-
shaw went to Kansas on a land in-
vestigating tour Saturday.

Irene Valentine returned Satur-
day from a visit with her aunt, Mrs.
Wm. Pearson of Jacksonville.

BEREA.

Our minister, Rev. W. H. Kern,
preached for us Sunday morning and
evening and he will be with us again
Jan. 17. Let all remember the date
and everyone will be welcome to
these services.

Mrs. A. C. Foster of Sinclair was a
visitor with relatives in this neigh-
borhood a few days the last of the
week.

The Aid Society and friends had a
pleasant day with Mr. and Mrs.
H. Robinson Thursday. There were
57 present, collection for dinner,
\$13.50. Visitors from a distance:
Mrs. Kate G. Hite, who is a guest
of Mrs. L. A. Hymes, and Miss Stella
Covington of Murrayville, a guest of
Miss Mabel Foster of Sinclair.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Isaacs spent
Sunday with Mrs. S. C. Latham.

H. Robinson and wife were shop-
ping in Jacksonville Saturday.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following letters remain un-
claimed in the Post Office at Jack-
sonville, Illinois for the week ending
January 12, 1915.

Adams, Mrs. Clara.
Angelo, Oliver.
Armstrong, S. B.
Bradley, Miss Annie.
Brunk, Walter.
Clark, Miss Alice.
Cosby, Mrs. Carrie.
Cosby, Mrs. J. W.
Craig, Mrs. L. D.
Denure, Roy.
Doilard, C. H.
Douglas, Miss Margaret.
Farris, Miss Clara.
Feles, A. B.
Gentry, Miss Ida.
Guthrie, Alfred.
Howells, W. D.
Hull, Miss Mary.
Jacksivan, Miss Nellie G.
Johnson, John.
Johnson, J. R.
Johnson, Turley L.
Johnson, R. W.
Kerney, B. C. (2)
Knowley, C. L.
Lowry, Miss Oia M.
Morton, Mr. and Mrs. James.
Murry, Miss Irene.
Pouhl, Miss Mary.
Russell, Samuel.
Ryan, Walter M.
Seal, Miss Addie.
Short, Mrs. Tearesa.
Smedley, Ruth.
Thompson, Roy.
Vincent, Mrs. Nora.
Walker, Mrs. Mary.
Watts, Mrs. Eva.
Weber, Mrs. Catherine.
White, Rev. John Chanler.
Wildner, Hackett.
Wood & Ward.

Parties calling for these letters
must say "Advertised," give date of
list, and pay one cent each postage
due.

Ralph I. Dunlap, Postmaster.

FEEDING MANY CATTLE.

W. Barr Brown is feeding more
than three hundred cattle on the
Brown farm near Island Grove. The
market conditions have not been
very favorable for feeders recently,
but Mr. Brown's cattle are doing
well and he is hopeful for a satisfac-
tory market later on, especially if
quarantine restrictions are removed.

REDECORATING ROOM.

The room of the J. F. Claus Tea
Company is being renovated, decor-
ated and generally adorned and fixed
up. The owner of the building,
Mr. Kltner, is doing the carpenter
work.

CONGREGATIONAL BROTHERHOOD MEETING.

This evening at 6:30 the brother-
hood of the Congregational church
will meet in the church parlors
where supper will be served. The
literary exercises will be led by W.
D. Wood. All members and men of
the congregation are urged to be
present.

STARS IN THE UNIVERSE.

Enough to Allow One For Every Hu-
man Being on Earth.

For years the approximate number of
stars visible to the eye, a matter of
3,000 or 4,000, according to the defini-
tion of average vision, has been known
by most persons, however, and by
many scientists, the total number of
stars in the heavens has been con-
sidered countless, if not limitless. The
universe is now deemed to be finite,
yet of a magnitude of dimensions
and of a populousness far beyond all
earlier conceptions. This assumption
is a result of very recent investigations
into the motions and distances of the
stars.

The latest studies on the subject of
the number as well as the light of the
stars have been made at the royal ob-
servatory at Greenwich, England. The
late Franklin Adams succeeded in mak-
ing a set of 200 photographs covering
the entire sky. After counts were
made on these pictures, from which the
brightness of the self luminous bodies
between practically the twelfth and
seventeenth magnitudes could be in-
ferred, it was concluded that they
recorded about 55,000,000 stars.

From this a formula was determined
showing the change of number in
passing from one magnitude to an-
other. With these figures it was re-
asoned that the aggregate number of
stars is not less than 1,000,000,000,
probably not more than 2,000,000,000,
and probably approximately 1,600,000-
000, the estimated present population
of the earth.

In making computations it was in-
ferred that there would be as many
stars fainter than magnitude twenty-
three or twenty-four as there are
brighter. — From September Popular
Mechanics Magazine.

KILL LOBSTERS KINDLY.

Put Them In Cold Water and Slowly
Bring Them to a Boil.

Boiling over a slow fire is the hap-
piest death a lobster can meet, so it
has been determined at the Jersey
marine biological station. The experi-
ments were carried out by Joseph
Snel, a well known biologist, for the
Isle of Jersey Society For the Preven-
tion of Cruelty to Animals, whose mem-
bers associated the prevalent method
of killing lobsters with medieval tor-
ture.

Lobsters, says Mr. Snel, are ex-
tremely difficult to kill. Piercing the
brain does not seem to cause the lob-
ster more than temporary annoyance,
since his brain is a mere nerve gan-
glion the size of a hemp seed. He has
to be killed all over. To throw him
into boiling water fails to do the work
either mercifully or quickly since he
struggles violently to escape for about
two minutes.

The pleasant way to end a lob-
ster's troubles, Mr. Snel finds, is the
old fashioned way of placing him in
cold water and bringing him to a boil.
As the water warms he becomes lazy
and rolls over as for a sleep. By the
time the water reaches the compara-
tively mild temperature of 70 degrees
Fahrenheit he becomes comatose. At
80 degrees he is dead. To use a hu-
man illustration, the biologist says it
is like a person succumbing to a heat
wave, with loss of consciousness and
a painless end — London Cor New York
Post.

Tips and Tips.

"The Scotch caddie is the best caddie
in the world," said a famous player.
"Only, like all his race, he's a little
near, a little tight across the chest
'Bang goes sixpence,' don't you know."

"A friend of mine spent his vaca-
tion golfing on the famous St. An-
drews links in Scotland. My friend
and a very fine Scotch caddie, a notori-
ously fine Scotch caddie, and he said
to the man the first day on the course:
"Duguid, my man, I expect to get
some good tips from you during my
stay here."
"And I expect," said Duguid dryly,
"the like true you." — Exchange.

Velocity of Sound.

The velocity of sound depends upon
the medium through which the sound
has to travel. The mean velocity of
sound in air is 1,125 feet per second,
while the velocity of sound in water is
given at 4,708 feet per second, being
about four times quicker than in air.
Cast iron conveys sound at the rate of
16,822 feet per second, or about six
teen times more quickly than air. — New
York American.

Buying a Dog Blanket.

"What's the matter there? Can't
you please that lady in a dog blan-
ket?"
"I can please her, all right," answer-
ed the clerk, "but she wants the dog
to indicate his preference, and he's one
of these blase pups that don't seem
to care for anything." — Judge.

Musical Comment.

"Yes," said Mr. Curot, "we spent a
lot of money teaching our boy Percival
Claude to play the violin. But it was
wasted."
"Doesn't he play?"
"Yes. But if he knew anything about
music he'd realize how it sounded and
wouldn't." — Washington Star.

Disimilarity.

"Marriage is a lottery," said the
ready made philosopher.
"I shouldn't say that," commented
Miss Cayenne. "In a lottery it's a com-
paratively easy matter to tear up a
losing ticket and take another chance."
— Louisville Courier Journal.

A brave spirit struggling with ad-
versity is a spectacle for the gods. —
Seneca.

HOPPER'S

SEASON END Clearance Sale

Commences Friday, January 15th

This sale offers a splendid opportunity to save money on good, dependable footwear. The rapid changes in footwear styles force us to extra efforts to keep our stock as low as possible to be ready for the new things as they come out. So we are forced to make some very extreme prices. Note our prices as listed below

\$2.50 Specials -- Specials \$2.50



Our method of keeping our stock clean is to make such radical reductions that our goods will move rapidly. Many of the styles in this lot have been on our shelves but a short time, but we must keep things moving, so we put this extreme price on some of this season's best selling styles, formerly priced at \$3.50 to \$5.



\$5 We doubt if we will ever again offer such high grade shoes so low. The advance in leather will forbid it. So take advantage now. Stacy, Adams shoes, all leathers, \$5.50, \$6.00 and \$6.50 now only \$5.00. **\$5**

For Men

We offer a very substantial saving on our well known line of Men's Shoes.

Stacy Adams \$5.50 to \$6.50 shoes now	\$5.00
Walk Overs, \$5.00 grade	now \$4.50
Walk Overs, \$4.50 grade	now \$4.00
Walk Overs, \$4.00 grade	now \$3.50
Walk Overs, \$3.50 grade	now \$3.15
Our well known \$3 shoes	now \$2.70

Some Extra Specials at \$2.50.

For Women

In Ladies' shoes we offer quality footwear at a substantial saving.

Our popular \$5.00 styles	now \$4.00
Our \$4.00 shoes	now \$3.60
Our \$3.50 shoes	now \$3.15
Our \$3.00 shoes	now \$2.70
Special lots at	\$2.50

Felt Slippers now 75c and \$1.00.

Our Bargain Counter

We put all odds and ends on our Bargain Counter. You will find a lot of special values for children and some other sizes. Keep your eye on the Bargain Counter.

Rubber Boots Special Lot \$3	We Repair Shoes	Sale Prices Strictly Cash
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LITERBERRY M. E.

SOCIETY OFFICERS

The Literberry M. E. society held the annual election of officers on Wednesday afternoon at "Shady Lawn," the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Liter, with Mrs. Liter in the chair. The following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. J. M. Liter.
Vice president—Mrs. Edna Dunlap.
Second vice president—Mrs. Flora Thompson.
Treasurer—Mrs. J. C. McFadden.
Librarian—Mrs. Willie Hull.
Secretary—Mrs. Flora Thompson.
Reporting secretary—Mrs. D. K. McCarty.

Planist—Miss Ethel Sorrells.
Annual report from treasurer and secretary was read and approved. Next in order was election of committees.
Flower committee—Mrs. Ed. Rexroat, Mrs. C. A. Beavers, Mrs. Edna Dunlap, Mrs. F. J. Henderson.
New Year reading—Mrs. McCarty.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Susanna Henderson and Mrs. J. M. Liter, and were very good and in great plenty. Mrs. Liter and her mother are good entertainers.

This society numbers 43 and has a good body of officers.

Elmer Smith of the Grace Chapel neighborhood was a city visitor yesterday.

Read the Journal; 10c per week.

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\$10.00 extra size black cloth coats, good style and full length, sale price **\$2.98**

\$10 Zybeline coats, fur collars, all sizes, sale price **\$2.98**

\$12.00 new novelty mixtures and late style belted Chinchilla coats, sale price **\$4.98**

\$25 Broadcloth coats, full Skinner's satin lined, all sizes, sale price **\$8.98**

\$25.00 Sealette plush coats, three quarter and full length, Skinner satin lined, sale price **\$9.98**

\$30.00 new fox trot coat, sealette plush, with fur collar and cuffs, satin lined, sale price **\$10.98**

\$27.50 Ural lamb coats, full satin lined, also extra sizes, sale price **\$10.98**

\$3.50 children's Astrachan coats, full lined, all colors, sale price **98c**

WAISTS

50c waists, all kinds and all sizes, sale price **12c**

\$1.50 Militant Mindy blouses, with lace and fancy collars, also pretty ties, 6 to 14 sizes, sale price **49c**

\$4.00 all silk crepe Dechene waists, all colors and sizes, sale price **\$1.79**

WAISTS

\$1.50 Lingerie waists, all the latest spring styles, sizes 34 to 46; sale price **59c**

SUITS

\$12.00 new fur trimmed military suits; sale price **\$3.98**

\$15.00 all wool French serge, poplin and gaberdine suits, all colors and sizes **\$4.98**

\$22.50 all wool men's wear serge, poplins and broadcloth suits, Skinner satin lined, 20 styles to choose **\$7.98**

\$30 and \$35 new fur trimmed short coat broadcloth suits, Skinner satined lined, all sizes and colors **\$10.98**

PETTICOATS

\$1.50 silk petticoats, all colors and sizes, sale price **59c**

\$2.00 Jersey top petticoats, regular and extra sizes, sale price **69c**

\$3.00 silk messaline petticoats, all colors; sale price **\$1.29**

SWEATER COATS

\$3 to \$5 ladies' all wool sweaters, colors, brown, white, red, blue, and gray, all sizes **\$1.49**

DRESSES

\$8 all wool Peter Thompson dresses, with tunics and flares, all sizes, sale price **\$2.98**

\$4 ladies' serge dresses, blue and black only, sizes to 44; tunic style; sale price **98c**

\$8 velvet dresses, new styles, all sizes; sale price **\$2.98**

\$5 all wool serge dresses, new spring styles, all colors and sizes, sale price **\$1.98**

\$12 and \$15 silk poplin dresses, the new spring styles, all sizes and colors, sale price **\$4.98**

\$10 all wool serge, gaberdine and granite cloth dresses, sale price **\$2.98**

\$25 and \$30 party dresses, all the latest styles and best materials, 200 to pick from **\$8.98**

\$2.50 children's all wool serge dresses, all colors and sizes sale price **\$1.19**

\$2.00 middy dresses; can be used as middy or dress; all colors, sizes 6 to 14, sale price **79c**

APRONS

50c Bungalow aprons, best gingham, full length, sale price **29c**

15c and 20c children's stockings **5c**

SKIRTS

\$3.00 Cheviot skirts; black only, all sizes; sale price **\$1.29**

\$4.00 all wool serge skirts, blue and black only, sale price **\$1.79**

\$5.00 new flare wool serge and gaberdine skirts, sale price **\$1.98**

50 sample skirts, no two alike, tunic and pleated, values \$6 to \$12; sale price **\$2.98**

\$12.50 and \$15 new spring skirts, silks, gaberdines, French serges and poplins, sizes and colors **\$4.98**

Extra Special

Skirt for large women, all wool materials, sizes to 42, sale price **\$2.48**

FURS

\$4.00 children's white ice-land and fox sets; sale price **\$1.49**

\$10.00 French Coney sets, satin lined, brown or black **\$4.98**

\$5.00 French Lynx muffs, large size, satin lined, brown or black, sale price **\$2.48**

\$125 Mink sets; must be seen to be appreciated; a big bargain **\$42.50**

Every Woman Should Attend This Great Saturday Sale

Yes, we will refund your money if you are not satisfied with goods bought here.

BOULEVARD LAMPS FOR WEST STATE STREET

Property Owners and Tenants are Agitating Matter of Lighting the Thoroughfare.

A movement is under way to secure boulevard lamps for West State street between the square and North West street on the north side. Both property owners and tenants have been agitating the matter and are anxious to install the lamps and accept the proposition of the city light department to furnish current free of charge. The cost for the construction work will be about one dollar per lineal foot, and this will include the posts. Mr. Brennan's recommendation to the citizens who are advocating the proposition is to use three light posts, as this is the type used in cities and his idea is that where subsequent lighting was done that the same type of post would probably be used and that a desirable uniformity would be the result. At the estimated cost of one dollar per lineal foot, with the lights maintained and the current furnished free of charge by the city afterward, the proposition is certainly one which should appeal both to property owners and tenants.

If the territory mentioned is equipped with these lights, no doubt the service would soon be extended to other streets, for this has been the experience in other cities where the same plan has been followed. In Aurora, for example, the merchants all about the square and on adjoining streets united in the movement, had the cable posts and other equipment all installed, and then turned the work over to the city. Under the plan to which Mr. Brennan, on behalf of the city, is willing to agree

the installation work would be done by the city light department at a minimum cost figure and afterward this money would be refunded to the city.

Some time ago a movement was under way for boulevard lights on both sides of East State street from the square clear down to the railroad, but for some reason or other this matter was dropped and nothing was done. Undoubtedly East State street with such lights all the way up would give arrivals in Jacksonville a very excellent impression of the city, that is if they walked. This impression, however, would not be sustained if they happened to rise in a carriage or automobile along East State street toward the square, for undoubtedly that pavement is the worst of a number of very bad ones now within the limits of Jacksonville.

CHAIRMAN FARRELL ANNOUNCES PLAYERS' RELEASES BY PURCHASE

AUBURN, N. Y., Jan. 14.—Chairman John H. Farrell of the National board of arbitration of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, today announced that the services of player Lorenzen had been awarded to Galesburg, Ill. The following releases by purchase were announced: By Clinton, Iowa, Wallace and Closeman to Omaha, Neb.; by Cadillac, Mich., Raleigh Baum to Keokuk, Iowa; by Burlington, Iowa, John Singleton, to Peoria, Ill.; by Muscatine, Iowa, W. H. Flanagan, to New York (N. L.); by Springfield, Ill., Edward Holloway to New York (N. L.); by Davenport, Iowa, A. Bromwich, to Chicago (A. L.). Mrs. Louis Connors left Thursday via the Burlington for Moline.

ORGANIZED BASEBALL HEADS WILL FILE AFFIDAVITS IN SUIT

To Give the Side of the Organization in the Federal League's Anti-trust Suit Next Week.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Every club owner in the American and National Leagues, the presidents of the leagues and some minor league magnates will file affidavits giving the side of organized baseball in the Federal League's anti-trust suit next week, it was said today. B. B. Johnson, president of the American League, August Herrmann of the Cincinnati Nationals and chairman of the national commission, and President Charles Thomas of the Chicago Nationals already had prepared affidavits and today, C. A. Comiskey of the Chicago Americans and Robert Hedges of the St. Louis Americans questioned by attorneys for organized baseball here, gave their testimony. The text of the affidavits was not made public but in a general way they are said to contain statements declaring that baseball under the national agreement is not a trust; that it has proved a blessing to ball players and denying the Federal charges. Ball players themselves will not be asked to testify on the side of organized baseball.

HELD FAMILY DINNER.

B. J. Genetos celebrated the Greek new year with a family dinner at which his brother and family from Quincy sat down. It was the first family reunion they have had since arriving in this country some years since and the occasion was much enjoyed. A fine dinner was served and the whole day was pleasantly spent.

DUMDUM BULLETS.

They Get Their Name From the Town Where They Originated.

Dumdum bullets have their name from a little town in India, near Calcutta, where the ammunition factories for the British government in India are situated. For the benefit of Afghans, possible Indian mutineers, negroes and other barbarians the British had a bullet manufactured here which is half covered with steel, but with a soft leaden nose. When discharged from a modern rifle of high power this soft nose expands, or "mushrooms," turning the bullet in the air into a horrible bulging object, which tears through the flesh of a man, surely bleeding him to death.

The purpose of this bullet is to kill the man every time. The purpose of the ordinary humane bullet of modern warfare, which is wholly incased in steel or nickel, is merely to put the man out of the fight. It makes a small, clean wound. If it does not strike a vital part the bullet may go entirely through the man without wounding him seriously. But it shuts him out of the fight for the time being.

The British military authorities in India considered that a humane bullet like that would be of little use to fight savages with, and therefore, at Dumdum, they manufactured the soft nosed expanding horror. But the international conference at The Hague in 1899 decided against the use of this bullet in war and adopted a rule forbidding it.—New York Mail.

ONE VIEW OF WAR.

And the Question of the Mother of the Slain Soldier Boy. When I but consider the word war I

feel a shock, as if one spoke to me or witchcraft, inquisition, some dead and distant thing, abominable, monstrous, unnatural.

When we hear of cannibals we smile with pride and proclaim our superiority over those savages.

What are savages, real savages—those who fight to eat the victims or those who fight to kill, merely to kill?

Those youthful soldiers of the line speeding along yonder are destined to death, just as the flocks of sheep driven along the roads by a butcher. They are destined to fall on a plain, their heads cleft by a stroke from a sword or their breast pierced by a bullet. And these are young men who could work, produce, be useful. Their fathers are old and poor; their mothers, who during twenty years have loved and worshipped them, as mothers can worship, will learn in six months or perhaps a year that the son, the child, the big child, brought up with so much trouble, with so much money, with so much love, was thrown into a hole like a dead dog after his body, riddled by a bullet, had been trampled and crushed into pulp by the charge of cavalry. Why have they killed her boy, her noble boy, her only hope, her pride, her life?

She cannot tell. Yes, why?—Guy de Maupassant.

No Heart In It.

A Broad street employer of a temperamental stenographer is a man of practical sense and real kindness who wants the girl to succeed at her business. The other day he called her into his private office and had a fatherly talk with her. Later one of her colleagues in the same building met her in the elevator.

"Say, Gladys," she said, "what's this about your boss having a heart to heart talk with you this morning?"

"Heart nothing," responded the temperamental creature, tossing her blond locks like an oriflamme of war. "What he handed to me hadn't no more heart in it than there is in a slab of liver at a ten cent beanery. See?"

Which is one reason why girl stenographers can be hired at \$6 a week.—New York Sun.

Damascus.

It is estimated that at least 20,000 pilgrims pass through the city of Damascus each year. They are material to the financial welfare of the ancient city, spending in the neighborhood of \$900,000 for goods of every kind. Damascus is busy, and the people are industrious. Nearly everything actually needed by the native is made there, and there is a surplus sufficient to supply a large surrounding territory and the pilgrims and visitors who pass that way. In this respect Damascus has not changed in hundreds of years. It has always been a maker and distributor of food and raiment.—Argonaut.

The Doldrums.

"In the doldrums" is a phrase more often employed than understood. It refers to a belt of calms contiguous to the equator and situate between the course of the southeast and northeast trade winds. Long periods with scarcely a stir in the air and a torrid sky above, broken by sudden squalls and violent storms of short duration, make the doldrums a dreaded area for sailing ships.

London's Costly Tree.

Probably the most costly tree in the world is a plane tree which grows in Wood street, London. It occupies a space that would bring a rental of \$1,250 a year, and this capitalized at thirty years' purchase gives a value of \$37,500.

WOODSON.

Miss Pearl Megginson visited her aunt, Mrs. Edward Kastrop and family a portion of last week.

Miss Mary Emma Jackson of Jacksonville visitor relatives here the past week.

Miss Emma Henry returned to Normal last week after spending Xmas holidays with home folks.

Mrs. Lucy Grunder visited her sister, Mrs. John Wright in Jacksonville Thursday and Friday.

Miss Pearl Shelton of Springfield spent a few days last week here with home folks.

Messrs. Sieve and Alfred Anderson were guests of their niece, Mrs. Ed. White and family in Roodhouse Sunday.

The "Loyal Daughters" Sunday school class of the Christian church will give an entertainment in the near future. Announcement of the date will appear later.

Miss Alta Kehl is spending a few weeks with her brother, C. F. Kehl and family in Mexico, Mo.

DOOLIN TO JOIN REDS.

Philadelphia, Jan. 14.—Charles S. Doolin, former manager of the Philadelphia Nationals, announced tonight that he accepted the offer of Manager Herzog of Cincinnati and that he was going to sign a contract with that club at any time. Herzog stated over the telephone from his home in Maryland that his offer which was for a two year contract at \$6,000 a year still stood. He added that he would immediately communicate with Garry Herrmann, president of the Cincinnati club, and that he hoped to have a contract ready for Doolin's signature within a short time.

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SPEAKERS AT THE COMING DAIRY MEETING

Prominent Men Will Be Here for
State Meeting.

Mention has already been made of the meeting to be held in this city Friday, Jan. 22nd, under the auspices of the Illinois State Dairymen's association. This is one of a series of meetings to be held in various cities throughout the state. L. T. Potter, who is chairman of the committee on arrangements for this meeting, has received a letter from the secretary of the dairymen's association stating that J. P. Mason, president, and Charles Glickerson, treasurer of the association, will be among the speakers, as will John B. Newman, assistant food commissioner, and Prof. H. A. Harding, chief of the dairy department of the University of Illinois. The subjects for the speakers have not yet been announced, but it is certain that Prof. Harding will discuss the hoof and mouth disease as that is conceded to be the theme which will be of interest to the largest number of those who will attend.

A PECULIAR PEOPLE.

Charles Wood of the southeast part of the county was a visitor to the city yesterday. He says he has been selling several of his patent cookers to a peculiar settlement in or near Arthur, Douglas county, the east part of the state. The people belong to a sect called Amis and are very strict being under the tutelage of the pastor who has great powers. Among other things the pastor thinks telephones are device of the evil one and will not permit any of his flock to use them. The women wear white caps in the house and black ones outside. The men shave in a horizontal line even with the lips and wear their hair long and down square with the coat collar. They wear flat, wide brim hats and are quite peculiar in appearance.

They wear heavy outside garments in winter and use no buttons but hooks and eyes instead and sometimes for this they are called "Hook and Eye Dutch." One of the men with whom Mr. Wood dealt was named Eli Hirschberger. They are very punctilious in matters of business and honorable and honest to a cent. As soon as the price for an article is agreed on and the goods delivered the money is promptly counted out and handed over.

HANGING IN GEORGIA.

Pelham, Ga., Jan. 14.—Flem Jackson, the negro who shot and killed Deputy Sheriff Will Griner in November, will be hanged at the county jail here tomorrow. It took a jury 9 minutes to convict him, and the hangman says he will try to beat this low record tomorrow morning.

Dr. A. E. Obermeyer of Arcadia visited Jacksonville relatives yesterday.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

Jan. 14.

1639—First written constitution known in history framed in Connecticut by colonists from Massachusetts.

1739—Pope issued an edict against assemblies of freemasons, under penalty of the rack and condemnation to the galleys.

1742—Died Edmund Halley, famous astronomer, for whom Halley's Comet is named.

1753—Died Bishop Berkeley, English philosopher, who wrote his greatest works in America while waiting to establish a college in Bermuda.

1784—Congress ratified the treaty of peace with Great Britain, ending Revolutionary War.

1805—Michigan separated from Indiana under territorial government.

1813—Capt. Boyle of Baltimore, with schooner Comet captured 3 English vessels and drove off big Portuguese man of war; captured three more ships before coming to port.

1814—Norway ceded to Sweden by treaty of Kiel.

1854—Czar first referred to Sultan of Turkey as "sick man of Europe."

1863—Polish uprising against conscription into Russian army.

1898—Died Rev. C. L. Dodgson, author of Alice in Wonderland.

1908—Died James R. Randall, author of "Maryland, My Maryland." Born at Baltimore Jan. 1, 1839.

"THIS IS MY 37TH BIRTHDAY."

Senator Crawford.

Hon. Coe L. Crawford, former governor of South Dakota, famous lawyer of the northwest and now completing his first term as United States Senator, was born on a farm near Volney, Iowa, Jan. 14, 1858. He completed his education at the University of Iowa, and practiced law at Independence, Iowa. He went to Dakota Territory in 1884 and hung out his law shingle at Pierre. He was chosen county attorney and became a member of the territorial legislature. Upon admission of South Dakota into the Union in 1889, he was elected to the first Senate, and has been in public life almost continuously since that time. He was elected governor in 1907, and in 1909 was the popular choice for the U. S. senate seat.

Senator Crawford has been twice married. He makes his home at Washington and Huron, S. D. Congratulations to: Pres. Raymond M. Hughes of Miami University, 42 years old today. Pierre Lodi, France's greatest living novelist, 65 years old today. Hon. Benjamin B. Odell, former governor of New York, 61 years old today.

Pres. Henry Nelson Syder of Wofford College, South Carolina, 50 years old today.

Hon. William H. Andrews, president Santa Fe Central Railroad Co.,

73 years old today. Miss Carrie M. Derick, Canada's first woman professor, 53 years old today.

DAVIS' SWITCH.

Dr. and Mrs. Butler entertained a few friends last Friday in honor of Mrs. Butler's mother, who is visiting here from Murrayville, Missouri. An excellent dinner was served. The afternoon was spent in quilting, and all had a pleasant time.

Rev. A. B. Morey of Jacksonville filled the pulpit in the Presbyterian church at Woodson on last Sunday morning. Rev. J. L. Coleman went to Talula to hold services in the Presbyterian church there.

Miss Marie Busey and the two little children of Warren Watt are sick with chickenpox.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Butler spent Sunday with their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Bentley of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barnhart of the city and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mesgison of Woodson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Barnhart.

Robert Rook, living south of the city, lost a fine horse one day last week.

Mrs. McManus who has been sick for some time in the city, has recovered and has returned to her home near Davis Switch.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Winter spent Sunday with R. W. Meggison, east of Woodson.

Miss Catherine Cain and Miss Josephine Ger were calling on Mr. and Mrs. McManus Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dick Butler has been on the sick list the past week but is able to be around again.

Isaac Watson was transacting business in the city Monday.

Mrs. J. L. Coleman and children spent a pleasant day on last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Devore of Woodson.

ILLINOI PLANS CAMPAIGN.

Members of Illini Lodge No. 4, I. O. O. F., have inaugurated a special campaign for membership. Two teams, the "reds" and the "blues" will contend for honors in this campaign, and the team which secures the lesser number of members will serve a banquet to the members of the winning team. The applications for the class will close Feb. 25th and it is the expectation that a large enough number of candidates will be received to make the total membership of Illini above the six hundred mark. T. G. Stein is the chairman of the booster committee.

Edward Smith expected to leave yesterday afternoon for Lamar, Missouri, where he has a farm and where also two sons reside. Mr. Smith will remain for some time looking after his interests in that vicinity.

REIGN OF ATTILA.

Barbaric Brutality of That Savage King of the Huns.

Attila was a barbarous king of the Huns who reigned from the year 434 to 453 of the Christian era, but he had no religion except that of brutality, conquest and loot. He ruled with all the weapons known in that day, and his hordes were compelled to follow him by the same means, as he had no mercy on any who showed the least lack of fealty to him or mercy to the conquered. For a considerable part of his reign it is said that his individual word was law over a vast territory extending from the Caspian sea to the river Rhine. As a leader he was fearless and masterful and savage. He called himself "the Scourge of God."

He ruled jointly with his brother for several years, but wanted no division of the spoils, and his royal brother was disposed of as others of the royalties of that region have been disposed of.

He founded the city of Buda, made it his capital and from it directed the slaying and looting wherever there was anything to get that was worth having. He laid waste in the most ruthless manner some of the finest and richest cities of what are now Greece, Italy, Spain, France and all the territory north of that, levying heavy tribute everywhere and burning and killing where tribute was not promptly paid.

He conquered the powerful Byzantine emperor, Theodosius, in 448, destroying hundreds of gems of architecture and art, and compelled the emperor to pay to him the last money possible. He again laid waste all the eastern empires in 450 and then gave his attention to Gaul in the west with an army said to have been 700,000 strong, but this is thought by some historians to be an exaggeration. However, that army was strong enough to do its will in all that region. He then made an attempt by force and cunning to detach the Alandic, king of West Goths, from his alliance with the Romans under their general, Aetius; but, failing in that, he gave battle to the allies near Chalons, on the Catalonian fields, and there had his first real reverse.

The allies failed to follow up their victory, and the following year Attila and his savage hordes laid waste all northern Italy and had arranged for an assault on Rome, but he had just had an example of the prowess of the Roman soldiers and when he heard that they had concentrated there in great numbers he desisted.

Arduous campaigns and intemperance living had sapped his strength, and in 453, on the very night when he married Idiko, a Burgundian princess, "the Scourge of God" was himself scourged into another world.

An Error Perpetuated.

The compositor, who has been accused of many things, seems really to have been responsible for the fixing of the festival of St. Alban, the first Br-

ish martyr, on June 21 in the English calendar. All other saints recognized by the English and Roman churches in common are honored on the same days in both calendars, but in the Roman calendar St. Alban's day is June 22. In all English prayer books also, prior to 1602, St. Alban is commemorated on June 22, and the present discrepancy seems to have arisen from the typesetter of the prayer book of 1632 mistaking the X of XXII for V and rendering the date June XVII—an error which has been perpetuated ever since.—London Chronicle.

The Fertilizing Rain.

Probably few students of agriculture realize the fertilizing qualities of tropical rains. In the Annales de Geographie M. Guillaume Capus, who has chemically studied the effects of rainy weather in French Indo-China, says that lightning produces large amounts of nitric acid. In the thirteen districts of the Tonkin delta of Indo-China, where thunderstorms are frequent, M. Capus asserts that the lightning annually produces an amount of atmospheric nitrogen equivalent to 181,390 tons of nitrate of soda, or 137,510 tons of sulphate of ammonia, the value of which is nearly \$20,000,000.

Proud, of Course.

One very cold day Tom, in his first trousers, was walking out with his tiny overcoat turned back to its utmost limit.

"Tom," said his father, "button your coat."

The boy demurred.

"Look at mine," said his father.

"Yes," said Tom, ruefully, "but everybody knows that you wear trousers."—Current Literature.

Decorated.

He—What have you done with the Jack roses that I sent you yesterday? She—Why, the young man you said would suffer a personal injury if he did not keep away called last evening, and I gave him the roses as a sort of "red badge of courage."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Cause of Hilarity.

"What are you laughing about?" "Blanks has moved to Great Neck, L. I."

"I don't see anything particularly funny in that."

"But he wears a seventeen collar."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Then Charged It.

Mrs. Willers—How did you get this lovely material for 29 cents a yard? Mrs. Datus—We mobilized outside the store, then marched in wedge formation and surrounded the bargain counter by a flank movement.—Judge.

Children's manners are molded more by their parents than by the stars at their nativity.

Belgium Helpless Anyway Till Spring, Says Commission

Need of Relief Still Very Urgent, According
to Latest Reports From Stricken Land--How
Americans Can Send Their Mite
By WILL IRWIN



BELGIAN REFUGEES IN THE RUINS OF TERMONDE.

ACCORDING to the Commission For Relief In Belgium, the American people will probably have to feed the Belgian people all this winter. "We have taken pains to investigate," said one of the commissioners last week, "and the best informed Europeans tell us that there will be no change in the military situation this winter. It means that we must keep up the work until spring breaks or longer."

It has been a race with hunger, this business of feeding 6,500,000 people with supplies gathered a half a world away. All Belgium depends on American food. Half of Belgium is never more than a week ahead of starvation. Often it has come closer than that. Once the province of Limbourg, remote and hilly, was starving. In some communities the people had not eaten for two days, when one of our United States consuls managed to borrow from the Germans enough bread to keep the people alive until an American shipment arrived to repay the loan. Once Captain Lucey, the shipping agent in Holland, had to borrow 10,000 tons of wheat from the Dutch government. Liege and Hamme and historic Ghent were crying for bread, and it was still several days before the next American ship was due at Rotterdam. This was a noble thing for Holland to do since the Dutch themselves are short on food. Yes; it is a race with hunger, and America, now that she has faced the starter, must win! This is America's great and glorious part in the world war of 1914-15.

That every American may have a personal chance to help some Belgian the Commission For Relief In Belgium has arranged its "parcel post plan." Any one who wants to send a package containing between twenty and fifty pounds of nonperishable food need only put a tag on the package, address the tag to the nearest collection depot of the commission, stamp it in the regular way and drop it in the mail chute. If the giver puts on the package tag his name and address, TOGETHER WITH THE LETTER "R," the money he has spent for stamps will be refunded.

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L. O. Berryman, Illinois phone
60-625. R. F. D. 5, Jacksonville,
Illinois. 12-10-1t**

**FOR SALE—Choice apples, Bald-
wins, in Cole building, west of
Courier office. Illinois phone 230.
1-13-1t**

**FOR SALE—At a bargain, seven
and eight room modern houses
and vacant lot. Good location. Al-
so four room house. Address
"Bargain", care Journal. 1-13-3t**

**FOR SALE—Bearding house and
part of furniture. House full of
boarders. Reason for leaving.
Ill. health. 331 West Court street
or Illinois phone 50-852. 1-15-3t**

**FOR SALE—My beautiful \$450,
nearly new upright piano, for
cash. Only reason for selling is
leaving city. "Piano", this office.
1-7-7t**

**FOR SALE—Player piano and 25
rolls music, piano cost \$650 less
than year ago. Perfect condition.
Will sell at a bargain. M. E. I.,
this office. 1-7-7t**

WISCONSIN FARM LANDS—Land-
ology, a magazine giving the facts
in regard to the land situation.
Three months' trial subscription,
FREE. If for a home, or as an
investment you are thinking of
buying good farm lands, write me
a letter, "Mail me Landology and
all particulars free." Address
Lloyd M. Skinner, general man-
ager, Skidmore Land Co., 132
Skidmore Bldg., Marinette, Wis.

MISCELLANEOUS

MONEY to lend always. The John-
ston Agency. 1-1-15

ANY amount of money to suit your
needs on real estate, Hodgson and
Leford. 1-14-1t

5 1-2 PER CENT MONEY—On farm
land if the security is ample. F.
L. Haigrove. 1-5-6t

**ORDER any of WATKINS REM-
EDIES** by mail. 349 West Mor-
gan street. 1-12-6t

NOTICE—NOW is the time to have
your old harness oiled and re-
paired at Harney's, 215 W. Mor-
gan street. 1-12-1t

**WOODS' CARRIAGE AND BAG-
gage line.** Order for all trunks
and special occasions. Prompt
and reliable service at all times.
Both phones 174. Office at 219
East Court street. 12-5-1t

OAK LAWN SANATORIUM—The
only institution of its kind in
America. Operated over 40 years
as specialists in chronic diseases
and now announces, with much
pleasure, a most successful treat-
ment for Bright's disease, diabe-
tes, rheumatism, gout, hardening
of arteries, heart, stomach, kid-
ney, bladder and nervous trou-
bles. We have proven the great-
est life-giving mineral water yet
discovered. Banking reference.
Jacksonville, Illinois. 12-24-1t

LOST and FOUND

LOST—Knights Templar charm.
Reward for return to J. J. Reeve.
1-13-3t

LOST—Leather bag, Wednesday af-
ternoon on Church or State
streets. Reward for return to
Journal office. 1-15-3t

**WOULD PROHIBIT
LIQUOR ADVERTISING**
Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 13—Bills
for statewide prohibition and to pro-
hibit advertising of liquor in news-
papers or periodicals were introduced
today in the state senate.

WED IN SPRINGFIELD.
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 13.—Oscar
Jackson of Springfield, Ohio, and
Miss Adelle Montague of Springfield,
Missouri, met in Springfield, Illinois
today and were married. They be-
came acquainted through the fact
that they resided in cities of the
same name and wanted to be married
in a Springfield in the hope their
good fortune would continue they
said.

**We teach
watches to
tell the truth!**

If your watch can't
be depended upon
bring it in and our
expert repair man
will fix it in first-class condi-
tion.
No charge unless
we do.
Damaged gold and
silver jewelry made
to look like new.

SCHRAM

JACKSONVILLE TIME TABLE.

Chicago & Aton.
North Bound—
Chicago Ltd. ex-Sun. dept. 1:30 pm
Chicago Ltd. ex-Sun. ar. 12:20 am
Chicago-Perla Accom. thru
to Chicago 7:30 am
Perla-Bloomington Acc. 5:30 pm
From St. Louis 8:50 pm
Chicago-Rd West Bound—
St. Louis Accom. daily 6:00 am
Kansas City-St. Louis local 10:27 am
St. Louis-Mexico Accom. 3:48 pm
Kansas City Express 8:00 pm

Wabash
East Bound—
No. 72 local frgt. ex-Sun. 1:10 am
No. 12 4:45 am
No. 52, daily 6:25 pm
No. 28, daily 2:13 am
No. 4, daily 8:30 am
No trains stop at Junction.
West Bound—
No. 9, daily 1:50 pm
No. 73, loc. freight, ex-Sun. 2:25 pm
No. 3, daily 7:15 am
No. 15, daily 5:15 pm
No. 53, Hannibal Accom. 10:05 am

Burlington Route.
North Bound—
No. 47, daily, ex-Sunday 11:20 am
No. 11, daily, ex-Sunday 4:50 pm
South Bound—
No. 12, daily, ex-Sunday 6:55 am
No. 43, daily, ex-Sunday 2:08 pm
C. P. & St. L.
North Bound—
No. 36, daily 7:40 am
No. 35, returns 11:34 am
No. 35, daily 3:05 pm

Furnished by James E. Bennett & Co.				
Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
July	\$1.41	\$1.43	\$1.40	\$1.42
May	1.26	1.28	1.24	1.25
Corn				
July	.74	.75	.74	.74
May	.68	.70	.67	.69
Oats				
July	.55	.57	.54	.56
May	.57	.59	.56	.58
Rye				
Jan.	18.00	18.22	17.97	18.10
May	18.80	18.80	18.50	18.67
Lard				
Jan.	10.40	10.40	10.40	10.40
May	10.80	10.80	10.65	10.70
Hides				
Jan.	9.77	9.77	9.77	9.77
May	10.15	10.15	10.00	10.10

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.
Chicago, Jan. 14.—Wheat—No. 2
red, \$1.41 1/2@1.43; No. 3 red, \$1.
39 1/2@1.42; No. 2 hard winter, \$1.
40 1/2@1.43; No. 3 hard winter, \$1.
39 1/2@1.42.
Corn—No. 2 mixed, 69 1/2@70 1/2;
No. 3 mixed, 68 1/2@69 1/2; No. 4 mixed,
67 1/2@68 1/2; No. 2 white, 70 1/2@71 1/2;
No. 3 white, 68 1/2@69 1/2; No. 4 white,
67 1/2@68 1/2; No. 2 yellow, 70 1/2@71 1/2;
No. 3 yellow, 68 1/2@69 1/2; No. 4 yellow,
67 1/2@68 1/2.
Oats—No. 2 white, 53 1/2@54 1/2; No. 3
white, 52 1/2@53 1/2; No. 4 white, 51
1/2@52 1/2; standard, 53 1/2@54 1/2.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN.
St. Louis, Jan. 14.—Wheat—No.
2 red, \$1.39 1/2@1.41; No. 3 red,
\$1.38 1/2@1.39; No. 4 red, \$1.36;
No. 2 hard winter, \$1.40 1/2@1.42; No. 3
hard winter, \$1.39 1/2@1.41.
Corn—No. 2, 69 1/2@70; No. 3, 67 1/2@
68 1/2; No. 4, 67; No. 2 white, 72
1/2@73; No. 3 white, 68 1/2@70; No. 4
white, 68; No. 2 yellow, 70 1/2@71;
No. 3 yellow, 69 1/2@70; No. 4 yellow,
67 1/2@68 1/2.
Oats—No. 2, 53 1/2@54; No. 3, 52 1/2@
53; No. 4 white, 54; No. 3 white, 53;
No. 2 white, 52 1/2@53 1/2; standard,
53 1/2@54 1/2.

Minneapolis Grain Market
Minneapolis, Jan. 14.—Wheat,
higher; receipts, 355 cars com-
pared with 257 a year ago. Cash wheat
—No. 1 hard, \$1.41; No. 1 North-
ern, \$1.35 1/2@1.40; to arrive, \$1.
35 1/2@1.40; No. 2 Northern, \$1.
32 1/2@1.38; No. 3 wheat, \$1.27 1/2
@1.37.

Rev. Mr. Wharton of Rockhouse
was among the visitors in the city
yesterday.

**IT'S THE TIME
TO HAVE
THAT TIRE WORK
DONE**

The winter season is the
time to have your auto
tire work done and to
have other needed work
done on the car so that
everything will be ready
for the start when the
spring days come.
Competent mechanics
await you here. All our
work carries with it our
positive guarantee.

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Modern Garage**



We Are Ready

to move heavy loads as well as light
loads. If you want a trunk moved
or your household furniture, just
call on us.
You will be surprised how quick-
ly and how carefully we do work of
this kind and our prices are always
reasonable.

Transferring

when we do it is satisfactory in
every respect. Give us a trial and
prove what we say.

We are also prepared to take care
of your goods and have ample facili-
ties for

SAFE STORAGE.

**Jacksonville Transfer
and Storage Co**

QUILTING
Factory 5021 East State,
opposite postoffice.

WORLD'S MARKET NEWS

**MAY WHEAT REACHES A PRICE
NOT EQUALLED BEFORE IN YEARS**

**Chief Reason is That Exporters
Wanted More Wheat Than They
Could Buy in All American Mar-
kets.**

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Wheat jumped
today to a point virtually 10c a
bushel higher than on Monday last
when speculators were tumbling over
each other to sell out because of
wild talk that the Turks were yield-
ing control of the Dardanelles and
that hostilities by Italy implied a
speedy end of the war. At the sum-
mit May wheat brought today \$1.
42 1/2, a price not equalled before in
years. The chief reason was that
exporters wanted more wheat than
they could buy in all American
markets. Feeling was much unset-
tled at the close which varied from
the same as last night to a 2 1/2c
advance. Corn finished unchanged to
sixteenth up, oats at a gain of 1/2
c and provisions down 1/2c to
3/4c.

European needs became so acute
today that finding no wheat avail-
able for ocean shipment was left
in Chicago, exporters bought thou-
sands of barrels of flour here, al-
though bakeries here have been
threatening to stop for lack of sup-
plies and notwithstanding that
there have been attempts to force
on Chicagoans the extensive use of
saw bread.

Reports that the depletion of
wheat stocks on the Pacific coast
had led to sharp competition from
there on this side of the Rockies
helped in a material manner to give
the bulls almost complete sway over
prices.
The only question seemed to be
where it was most advisable to real-
ize profits on wheat holdings, as at
no time did the market show any
important setback as compared with
last night.

Excitement in the wheat pit fair-
ly boiled over in the last hour when
a substitute for wheat was
chained up on the bulletin boards
as commanding \$1.15 a bushel, a
price beyond anything known in
fifty years.

According to some authorities
the only relief in sight for Euro-
peans or Americans either was to
give up in regard to wheat and to
look on the relative cheapness of
corn.
Piling up of corn here and at other
leading centers kept the cereal
depressed today despite the strength
of wheat.
The prospects were said to be for
continued liberal receipts.
Oats proved firmer than corn ow-
ing to buying on the part of export
houses. More than 400,000 bushels
of oats were sold here to go to the
suburbs in addition to 175,000
bushels domestic.

St. Louis Livestock Market

HOGS
Receipts, 7,000.
Market, steady.
Pigs and lights \$6.00@6.50
Mixed and butchers 6.75@7.00
Good heavy 6.85@7.00
CATTLE
Receipts, 2,600.
Market, steady.
Native beef steers \$7.50@10.00
Cows and heifers 5.0

To the Out of Town Trade

The out-of-town trade is cordially invited to attend this Great Clearing Sale. We are members of the Jacksonville Merchants' Free Transportation Association. By special arrangement your railroad fare will be refunded. This is Jacksonville's Greatest Dry Goods Clearance. DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND EARLY

Harmon's

DRY GOODS STORE

This Is a Strictly Cash Sale

All goods purchased at sale prices must necessarily be for cash. At all other times we are pleased to extend the accommodation of credit to our customers. During this sale, however, our prices are too low to justify the expense of booking. BUT YOU RECEIVE A DOUBLE RATE OF INTEREST ON THE CASH YOU DEPOSIT HERE.

MID-WINTER RED TAG SALE

Begins Saturday, Jan. 16, and Ends Saturday, Jan. 30

It seems hardly possible that there now remains a single household within Jacksonville's fifty-mile trade zone that is not acquainted with the rare buying inducements that are always offered in our Red Tag Sales. But for the benefit of those who have lately moved into this community, and others who have not yet formed the habit of waiting for this sale, we wish to make the following explanation of why the same merchandise is worth so much less after Jan. 15th than it was before: Up to this time we are constantly re-ordering goods that each department throughout the store may be kept up to meet every demand made upon it. When the new year is ushered in we turn our attention to preparing for the spring trade, and on the 15th our entire stocks of winter merchandise are declared "surplus" and must be hurried out of our way at the earliest possible moment to make room for the early spring arrivals. We never carry goods over from one season to another. Every yard of dry goods, silks, trimmings, and every garment bought for winter usage must be disposed of during this two-weeks' sale. We ask you to give this page a careful reading. Note the prices and compare them, if you please, with those quoted you elsewhere. Without a single exception you will find ours the lowest. All merchandise included in this Great Clearing Event is labeled with a Red Tag. When you enter the store and see the thousands of bright tags waving, you will realize that this sale is of gigantic proportions. While each item listed is a bargain, we call your especial attention to those underscored, in center section.

Incomparable Red Tag Prices on Best Silks

A clearance of Silks at this store is of double importance. Besides the lowness of the prices, you have the greatest variety of patterns to choose from. This store is "famous for Silks"—and a careful reading of the items below will show how determined we are to effect a clearance.

\$2.00 40-inch Crepe Meteor and Charmeuse Silks, reduced to, yard\$1.49
\$2.00 40-inch Cheney's Spot-Proof Foulards, reduced to, yard\$1.49
\$2.00 42-inch Empress Silk Crepes, reduced for clearance to, yard\$1.49
\$1.50 36-inch Plaid Waistings, reduced for clearance to, yard\$1.10
\$1.25 36-inch Tub and Novelty Silks at yard98c
\$1.25 36-inch Silk Eponge, floral designs, at79c
\$1.25 40-inch Silk Poplins, all shades, at98c
85c 23-inch Cheney's Spot-Proof Foulards, at59c
75c 30-inch Silk Jacquards, reduced to, yard49c
50c values in 36-inch and 40 inch Silk and Cotton Crepe de Chines and Novelty Silks, reduced for clearance to, yard35c
50c 27-inch Silk and Cotton Novelties, reduced for clearance to, yard29c

36-inch Lonsdale Cambric, in Nainsook finish, yard ... 10c

Tubings and Sheetings: A Bargain Climax

Our immense purchasing power makes these prices possible.

10-4 Bleached Pepperell Sheeting, Red Tag price, per yard22c
9-4 Bleached Pepperell Sheeting, Red Tag price, per yard20c
9-4 Unbleached Sheeting, Red Tag price, per yard18c
36-inch Linen Finish Tubing, tagged to sell at18c
42-inch Linen Finish Tubing, tagged to sell at19c
45-inch Linen Finish Tubing, tagged to sell at20c
42-inch Good Quality Bleached Tubing, in this sale at13 1/2c

Special—During this Red Tag Sale we will offer a rare value in an All Linen Unbleached Crash, per yard, only8 1/2c

All Dress Trimmings and All-over Laces at1-3 C ff

Wool Dress Goods, at Prices Minus Profit

To clear the largest dress goods department in "the fifty mile zone" is a gigantic task—but these prices will do it quickly.

\$2.00 54-inch Broadcloths—the season's choicest weave—now, yard\$1.39
\$2.00 58-inch Balmacaen Coating—another favorite—now at yard\$1.39
\$1.50 50-inch Bedford Cord, tagged now to sell at yard, only\$1.19
\$1.50 56-inch Coating Serges, tagged now to sell at yard, only\$1.19
\$1.50 42-inch Brocades—"the height of popularity"—now, at yard93c
\$1.00 and 85c 40-inch Ratines and Eponge Suitings, reduced to, yard48c
\$1.00 54-inch Heavy Cream Serges, at yard98c
\$1.00 42-inch Basket and Granite Cloths, at69c
\$1.00 42-inch All Wool Crepes, reduced to69c
\$1.00 36-inch Brocaded Eponge, reduced to49c
\$1.00 56-inch Cream Wool Serges, now only75c
50c 32-inch All Wool Challies, tagged now to sell at, yard35c
50c 36-inch All Wool Crepes, tagged now to sell at, yard43c
50c 36-inch Wool Plaids, a special value now, at yard35c

Buy Your Underwear at this Red Tag Sale

Ladies' \$2.00 Union Suits, tagged now to sell at\$1.98
Ladies' \$2.50 Union Suits, tagged now to sell at\$1.49
Ladies' \$1.50 Union Suits, tagged now to sell at85c
Ladies' \$1.00 Union Suits, tagged now to sell at85c

Choice of any House Dress, now for only75c

Ladies' 25c Vests and Pants, reduced for clearance to19c
Gent's 50c Shirts and Drawers, reduced for clearance to35c
Children's 50c Union Suits, reduced for clearance to43c

Your Chance to Save on Cotton Piece Goods

10c Outing Flannels, tagged now to sell at yard, only8c
15c Flannellettes are tagged now to sell at yard, only11c
25c Flannellettes are tagged now to sell at yard, only16c
17 1/2c Serpentine Crepes—the "always in demand" fabric, at yard15c
25c Kindergarten Cloth, reduced to, yard21c
25c Cotton Poplins, reduced to, yard, only21c
25c New Cloth, reduced for clearance to21c
50c 48-inch Dress Linens, now at yard43c
25c Ratines and Cotton Novelties, at yard15c
12 1/2c Frieze Gingham (splendid for school dresses) now at, yard9c
15c Imperial Chambray, linen finish, reduced now to, yard13c
\$ 1-3c Amoskeag Apron Gingham in this Red Tag Sale for7c

10 yards 36-inch Unbleached Muslin for only49c

Here Are the Biggest Bargains Ever Offered in This City

25-inch Treacles offered now, per yard5c
10 yards 36-inch Lonsdale Muslin, bleached, for79c
10 yards 36-inch Hope Muslin, bleached, for65c
Best Grade of Calicoes, tagged to sell at4 1/2c
Coats Spool Cotton, seven spools for only25c
10 yards 36-inch Unbleached Muslin for49c
27-inch Shirting Cheviots, tagged at yard8 1/2c
71x90-inch Bleached Seamed Sheets for33c
42x56-inch Bleached Pillow Cases for8 1/2c
Full Standard Apron Gingham, fast colors, yard5c
36-inch Lonsdale Cambric, Nainsook finish, yard10c
26-inch Bleached Muslin, tagged at, yard5c
36-inch Fine Brown Muslin, tagged at, yard8 1/2c
26-inch Pepperell R. Unbleached Muslin, at yard6c

Notice—Because of the very unusual prices which are made on the above items they are bound to go like wild fire. Don't delay buying. Be Among the First Ones Here.

You should also bear in mind that the quantity of some of the goods advertised are necessarily limited, and will soon be exhausted. As soon as you have anticipated your needs, visit the store as soon as possible.

10 yards 36-inch Bleached Hope Muslin for68c

A Sure "January Thaw" in These Prices

25c Bolt of Scalloped Embroidery Edges, reduced for clearance to15c
10c Bolt of Scalloped Embroidery Edges, reduced for clearance to7c
25c and 35c 15 and 18-inch Camisole Laces, reduced to, yard15c
75c Phoenix Mufflers, a good, warm, all wool, Muffler, now only39c
50c Phoenix Mufflers19c
10c Heavy Machine Torchon Laces, now at, yard8c
Regular 5c Pearl Buttons now, two cards for5c
One Lot of Laces and Insertions, tagged for clearance, at yard1c
Ladies' 50c Neckwear and Gimpes, tagged for clearance at35c
Ladies' 25c Neckwear and Gimpes, tagged for clearance at19c

36-inch Pepperell R Unbleached Muslin at yard6c

Save Now on Curtain Scrims and Draperies

You can freshen up the rooms at small expense by buying some new Curtains and Draperies at this Red Tag Sale.

50c 40-inch Curtain Scrims, with lace edges, on sale at, yard43c
45c 40-inch Curtain Scrims, with lace edges, on sale at, yard39c
30c 40-inch Curtain Scrims, lace edge, yard23c
25c 36 and 40-inch Scrims and Marquisettes19c
20c 36-inch Scrims and Marquisettes, at yard15c
25c Cretonnes and Denims, at yard only19c
20c Cretonnes and Denims, at yard only15c
50c Tapestry Draperies are offered in the Red Tag Sale at35c
12 1/2c 36-inch Figured Silkolines, now reduced to, yard10c
10 26-inch Plain Silkolines, tagged to sell at, yard8c

RED TAG PRICES are on all our White Shirt Waists

Splendid Values in Gowns, Gloves, Hosiery

\$1.50 values in Ladies' and Gent's Outing Flannel Gowns for\$1.19
\$1.25 values in Ladies' and Gent's Outing Flannel Gowns for98c
\$1.00 values in Ladies' and Gent's Outing Flannel Gowns for89c
\$.75 values in Ladies' and Gent's Outing Flannel Gowns for65c
50c Outing Flannel Gowns43c
50c Children's Outing Flannel Sleeping Garments now for39c
50c Children's Fleece Lined Sleeping Garments now for39c

The following Hosiery values are well worthy of your investigation

50c Ladies' Black Hose, an extra special value, reduced to43c
35c values in Ladies' All Wool Black Hose, reduced to29c
25c values in Ladies' All Wool Black Hose, reduced to21c
25c values in Gent's White Foot, Split Hose, for15c

Ladies' and Children's Gloves and Mittens

Ladies' 50c Chamollette Gloves, offered in all colors, at pair35c
Ladies' 25c Chamollette Gloves, offered in all colors, at pair19c
50c values in Boy Scout Gannet Gloves, reduced now to pair35c
Children's 25c Mittens and Warm Yarn Gloves, now at pair15c

Blanket and Comfort Bargains Without End

\$5.00 All Wool Blankets, reduced for the Red Tag Sale to\$3.75
\$3.98 Woolnap Blankets, reduced for the Red Tag Sale to\$2.98
\$2.50 Woolnap Blankets, reduced for the Red Tag Sale to\$2.48
\$3.00 Woolnap Blankets, reduced for the Red Tag Sale to\$2.19
\$2.50 Woolnap Blankets\$1.89
\$2.25 Woolnap Blankets\$1.69
\$2.00 Cotton Blankets\$1.49
\$1.75 Cotton Blankets\$1.39
\$1.69 Cotton Blankets\$1.29
\$1.50 Cotton Blankets, specially priced for the Red Tag Sale at\$1.19
\$1.25 Cotton Blankets, specially priced for the Red Tag Sale at98c
\$1.00 Cotton Blankets, specially priced for the Red Tag Sale at85c
50c Children's Quilt Blankets, Red Tagged to sell for35c

THE COMFORTS

\$2.00 Comforts, marked down for clearance to\$2.19
\$2.50 Comforts, marked down for clearance to\$1.89
\$2.00 Comforts, marked down for clearance to\$1.49
\$1.50 Comforts, marked down for clearance to\$1.19
\$1.00 Comforts, marked down for clearance to85c

We Solicit an Honest Comparison of Prices

We make the claim unreservedly that the prices quoted in this advertisement are the lowest to be found on similar qualities offered at retail today. And upon this basis we court an honest comparison of values. If our merchandise does not impress you as being worthy of the strongest claims for dependability, we do not ask you to spend your money here. On the other hand if you are pleased with our goods and our store service we invite you to make this store your trading place—during this sale and at all other times. You will profit thereby. But be sure to attend this sale.

Petticoats Red Tagged for Quick Disposal

\$4.98 Silk Jersey Top, Messaline Ruffle Petticoats for\$3.99
\$3.98 Silk Jersey Top, Messaline Ruffle Petticoats for\$2.98
\$2.50 Messaline Petticoats, tagged for clearance at\$1.79
\$1.50 Messaline Petticoats, tagged for clearance at\$1.00

\$1.25 mercerized Satine Petticoats, in colors75c

Soiled Auto Hoods and Caps specially priced at25c

50c Black Satine Office and Store Aprons39c

Hockenhull Building—HARMON'S DRY GOODS STORE—Jacksonville, Illinois

RARE BARGAINS OFFERED

IN CITY REAL ESTATE

Read the Following Descriptions. They May be Just What You Want.

The beautiful residence property at the end of West Lafayette avenue pavement, with two acres of ground just outside of the city limits.

The vacant residence corner of Webster and Lafayette avenue. Lot 88x188. The most beautiful corner in Jacksonville.

Two of the best residence lots facing Webster avenue, right off the corner of Lafayette avenue. Lots 55x160. Come and see our plot for this corner.

The terms on all the above properties are right for the buyer.

Jeffrey Cleary is going to be here for several days and will gladly talk to you about any of the above properties.

Read This Space Each Day

Both phones, 760; Office 441 Ayers Bank Bldg.

JEFFREY CLEARY & CO

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PLANS MATURING FOR ANNUAL SHOW OF COUNTY POULTRY ASSOCIATION

Entries Close Saturday Evening at 6:30 O'clock for Exhibits Which Will be Held Next Week in Illinois Hotel Building.

Plans are maturing for the annual show of the Morgan County Poultry association and from the entries so far and inquiries after the catalog and premium lists, the 1915 exhibit promises to be one of the best ever. Besides local entries a number of birds will be entered from Greene county, several fanciers there having signified their intention of sending large exhibits to the Jacksonville show.

The show will be held this year in the old Illinois hotel building at the northeast corner of the square. All entries will close at 6:30 o'clock Saturday evening and the show, opening Monday forenoon will continue through Saturday, Jan. 23. Any yet desiring premium lists may secure them from J. C. Weber, secretary of the association, or R. C. Reynolds, the treasurer. The executive committee, in charge of the show arrangements, numbers Mrs. Allen Franz, James M. Vail, John Clancy and Allen Franz and the catalog committee comprises Mrs. John W. Clary, M. T. Henschel, J. C. Weber, Mrs. Weber and Leonard A. Day. John W. Clary is president of the association and the judges will be L. A. Engle of Forrest City, Ill., and D. T. Heimlich, Jacksonville.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Stevenson entertained a small company at dinner Thursday night at their home on Prospect street. The men present were all war time friends of the host and their cordial relations have continued through the intervening years. A most excellent dinner was served and the occasion was one of great pleasure. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. Riggs Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Waller and daughter, Mrs. Grassley, William A. Kirby and H. H. Stevenson.

The Delta Dancing club, in a program of twelve regular and four special dances, spent a pleasant evening Thursday at the Peacock Inn and a season of unmixed pleasure was the lot of club members and guests at this first event of the new year. Among those from away were Misses Helen and Henry Lassiter of Fort Worth, Tex.; Miss Ruth Cody and Miss Edith Clemmons of Virden and Miss Adele Hexter of Colorado Springs, Colo. Arrangements for the dance were in charge of the regular club officers.

A pleasing one o'clock luncheon was given yesterday at the Peacock Inn by Miss Ruth Leach in honor of Mrs. J. J. Miller, formerly Miss Irene Thompson. The decorations of the table were in yellow and were very beautiful and the whole affair was very elegant. A delightful time was enjoyed by all the guests who had the pleasure of being present. They were Mrs. C. L. Rice, sister of Miss Leach, Misses Carrie Dunlap, Millicent Rowe and Elson Barnes, Mrs. Paul Thompson and Mrs. George Orear.

Mrs. Owen P. Thompson entertained Thursday afternoon from 2 till 6, in honor of her daughter, Mrs. John J. Miller of Brazil. The company was limited to Mrs. Miller's friends and the hours proved delightful in every way. The dining room was decorated in yellow and the reception room and sitting room in pink roses. Those who assisted in entertaining were Mrs. John R. Robertson, Mrs. T. J. Pitner, Mrs. Harry Carriel, Mrs. George Orear, Mrs. P. C. Thompson, Mrs. Paul P. Thompson, Mrs. Lloyd Brown, Miss Ruth Leach, Miss Stella Cole. Those who poured coffee were Mrs. M. P. Dunlap and Mrs. J. W. Anderson of Kansas City. In the evening a number of the young married people were guests at the Thompson home and a luncheon was served and a social hour spent.

NEW DIETITIAN.

Miss Marguerite Endress of Sante Marie, Michigan, has accepted the position as dietitian at Passavant hospital.

BASKETBALL TEAMS GO TO PEORIA SATURDAY

Illinois College Plays Bradley Polytechnic Institute and J. H. S., Peoria Central.

The Illinois college basketball team and Jacksonville high school team will play in Peoria Saturday. The former meets Bradley Polytechnic and the latter Peoria Central.

The Bradley floor is a hard one for a visiting team to win on, but Coach Harmon expects his men to give a good account of themselves. He will take along Gary, McLaughlin, Harmon, guards; Frisbie, center; Stewart, Capt. Atchison, forwards.

Bradley has defeated Hedding and also walloped Normal last week, 32 to 14.

Coach Buland will take his J. H. S. men up against a real proposition Saturday. The local men are not in the best of condition, as was shown in the game last week against Granite City.

FUNERALS

Stacy.

The funeral of Robert Stacy was conducted from the family residence 603 Hooker street Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of Captain Pinkston of the Salvation army. The flowers were cared for by friends and burial was made in Diamond Grove cemetery.

In Loving Remembrance of Robert Stacy.

Weep not for the dear departed. For his weary toils are o'er; He has crossed the silent river And is safe upon the shore. Safe with Jesus up in Heaven; Safe from every care and grief, And we soon will go to join him. For our stay on earth is brief.

We were stricken with our sorrow When he bade up here adieu, But the thought of that glad meeting Filled our hearts with hope anew. We would not wish him with us. If again he here could come. For we know that he is happy, Safer far in that fair Home.

Earth is a happy dwelling place; Life here is rich and sweet, But the home without all suffering And the life at Jesus' feet Is a far, far brighter dwelling Than any here we see, Where we can live forever, And from toil and care be free.

So again we say, weep not, thou, But be happy in the Lord, And expect a joyous meeting. If we lean upon his word. For the righteous will be cared for, As the psalmist, David, said, "They have never been forsaken, Nor their seed begging bread."

Now we leave thee, dear departed, With the Master, true and kind, And hope that when we near the shore And leave earth's scenes behind, We may have as clear a record, When the Battle's fought and won As thou hadst, then will the Master Bid us enter, say "Well done."

Hull. Funeral services over the body of Mrs. Cora Hull were held at the Reynolds undertaking parlors Thursday morning at ten o'clock in charge of the Rev. Myron L. Pontius, pastor of the Central Christian church. Interment was made in the Arcadia cemetery.

NEW SPRING MILLINERY ON SALE AT HERMAN'S.

WITH THE SICK.

Mrs. Thomas Mason, 224 West Greenwood avenue, has received word from St. Louis of the serious illness of her son, Frederick Mason. Mr. Mason a short time ago underwent an operation for appendicitis at a St. Louis hospital and was for a time considerably improved.

Ernest May, 414 East Court street, who for several days has been ill at his home, is suffering from a tonsillar abscess.

Miss Buelah Kitner of Murrayville, who is a patient at Our Saviour's hospital, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Floyd Sturges who has been sick at Passavant hospital has recovered and gone home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Smith who were seriously injured in a runaway northwest of the city recently, are improving.

Wm. Young, plasterer at the Central hospital for the insane is ill. Mrs. Edward Blackburn of Ebenezer vicinity is better.

White perch fish for baking—Sargent's market.

NOTICE.

Owing to the prevalence of the so-called foot and mouth disease among cattle in this vicinity, the Jacksonville State Hospital is desirous of taking all possible precautions to protect its valuable herd from this disease.

For this purpose a quarantine has been established, and the west and north gates to the institution grounds have been closed. It is requested that the public discontinue entering the institution grounds. Those who have business at the office, may do so through the main entrance, returning to the street through the same entrance.

The co-operation of the public in this protection is solicited. H. B. Carriel, Superintendent.

SHOOT AT PARK.

The Nichols Park Gun club will hold a special shoot this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the club grounds.

The Home Book of Fashions is Now Ready.

Grand Prize Week

See the Ladies' Home Journal Patterns for Authoritative Styles

OUR GRAND PRIZE WEEK—The sale of all sales is now in full swing

The new attractions we are offering each day are bringing large crowds of pleased customers to our store. You must not miss this sale; to do so will mean the loss of money you cannot hope to regain, as we cannot duplicate this lot of positive good values again this year. For best results you should COME TODAY and keep coming, or you will miss the best items we shall offer. We suggest that the economical women of Jacksonville and vicinity COME PREPARED TO BUY, as the money saving arguments of our price tags are irresistible.

C. J. DEPPE & COMPANY

The Logical Store to Get Real Values

Grand Price Special

500 yards Table Damask at..... 33c

Grand Price Special

Extra values in ladies \$1 Kid Glove 79c

When we say that we are selling

Furniture, Carpets, Draperies Rugs, China---

Everything for the home, at prices that mean a most wonderful saving, we believe our statement will prove of sufficient interest to induce you to at least come in and see for yourself—that it will not be necessary for us to list innumerable articles, give prices, etc. Our clearing sale is still going on, and exceptional bargains can be had.

Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie

East Side Square

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

HILLERBY'S

DRY GOODS STORE

New Bargains For Every Day This Week

10c yard fine, dainty Nainsook Embroidery, newest designs, not the ordinary 10c kind; coarse threads on glorified cheese cloth, but pretty and elegant styles that appeal to good taste.

59c yard—Any of our \$1.00 Ratines—42 inches wide and very good looking. Plain colors and small checks.

10c yard—A fine 36-inch Long Cloth Chamois finish; cut you what you want while it lasts.

8¹/₃c yard, Dress Gingham worth 12¹/₂c per yard and new styles at that—a fortunate turn in buying gives you the value. There's only about 1500 yds. in the lot, when these are gone there's no more.

10c yard—A regular 12¹/₂c Percale in dark and light colors. The cloth and colors are perfect—good styles.

19c An unexpected value in Towels. Plain edges or colors. Heavier and better than most 25 cent towels.

Double ~~24~~ Green Trading Stamps every day to customers making the largest purchase.

Wonderful Values Every Day.

Safest Place to Trade

A SOAP WORTH THE MONEY

Without a doubt there is no soap that is worth more money to you than our Hard Water Cocoa Soap, not even excepting the high priced perfume soaps. It lathers freely in hard water and keeps the skin in perfect condition. It is a pure white soap and will not harm the most delicate skin. Price ten cents a cake, three cakes for a quarter. Try a cake today.

Armstrong's DRUG STORE

THE QUALITY STORE
Southwest Corner Square.
JACKSONVILLE, ILL.

REVIVAL AT DUBBIN.
Rev. John W. Kettle expects to begin revival meetings at Durbin Sunday, Jan. 17th. On that day and all during the revival, Durbin Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m. instead of in the afternoon, and preaching service will be held at 7 p. m.

Nice channel cat—Sargent's market.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Charles H. James to Oscar W. Wilcox, warranty deed, lot 7, block 22, Ayresworth and Cobb's addition, Meredosia, \$1,000.
Joseph V. Breckon to Thomas D. McVay et al, warranty deed, part lot 25, College Hill addition, Jacksonville, \$1.00.

LOST VALUABLE HORSE.
Albert Crum, residing east of Litterberry, had the misfortune to lose a valuable work horse Wednesday from the cornstalk disease.

READ THIS

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder trouble, removes gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularity and the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. It not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle as two months treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for Illinois testimonials. Dr. W. E. Hall, 1925 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo., Sold by druggists—Ada.

Shanahan & Shanahan's

SPECIALS

For This Week Only

3 large cans tomatoes 25c
3 large cans peas 25c
3 large cans corn 25c
3 large cans Kidney beans 25c
3 large cans string beans 25c
4 lbs. navy beans 25c
4 lbs. Japan rice 25c
5 lbs. loose rolled oats 25c
6 lbs. flake hominy 25c
6 lbs. cracked hominy 25c
Loose raisins, per pound 10c
2 lbs. prunes 25c
Kraut, per gallon 25c
3 quarts cranberries 25c
2 lbs. lard 25c
Choice apricots, per lb. 15c
3 large cans of milk 25c
6 small cans milk 25c
Sweet, sour and dill pickles.

Ill. 262—Both Phones—Bell 673
237 East State Street.

Floreth Company

January Clearance Sale All Through This Month

Sale Now On in Full Blast!

This Week is Coat, Suit, Dress Skirt, Shirt Waist, Sweater Coats, Furs and Trimmed Hat Clearance.

Ladies and Misses Coats at \$2.48, \$4.98 and \$7.48 Are about 1-3 their original worth.

Children's Coats, ages 2 to 12 years, at \$2.48, \$3.48 and \$4.98. Are less than 1-2 their original worth.

Ladies' Dress Skirts, choice of our entire stock 33 1-3 Per Cent Off.

Furs! Furs! The choice of our stock at actual cost.

Sweater Coats—Any sweater coat from Infant to ladies' sizes, at actual cost.

Ladies' Shirt Waists—Just 2 prices—50c—Now 39c; \$1.25 and \$1.00 now 79c.

TRIMMED HATS

This week will be a great opportunity to buy a new winter Hat cheap. Our entire stock, black or colors are now priced at cost and less.

Come prepared to buy a HAT, COAT, WAIST, SWEATER COAT, FURS or SKIRT for little money. Always Cash.

FLORETH COMPANY

PREVENTION IS KEYNOTE AT DENTAL SOCIETY GATHERING

Dental Examination in Schools and Illustrated Lecture on "Care and Use of the Mouth and Teeth" Features of 28th Regular Meeting.

The 28th regular meeting of the Morgan County Dental Society, comprising physicians also from the counties of Brown, Cass, Pike and Scott, was held Thursday at the Dunlap hotel with a good attendance of visiting dentists. Dr. Charles Hopper, the president, opened the meeting at 9:30 o'clock. After the registration of members Dr. A. B. Carey of Pittsfield read a very interesting paper, "Many Mistakes of Many Dentists," in which he related some of the common errors which creep into dental practice. "The Funniest Thing That Ever Happened in My Practice," by Dr. William Babcock brought forth much merriment as the paper was made up of contributions from each member relating the most comical incident in his practice.

Dr. Blair of Waverly followed with a history of the Morgan County Dental Society from its organization to the present time, when it holds one of the foremost places among the co-ordinate societies in the National Dental Association. The meeting then adjourned for luncheon.

At the business session, following the clinics in the afternoon, Dr. J. R. Blayney of Tallula and Dr. J. Walton Dace of Winchester were elected to membership.

To Honor Dr. G. V. Black. The proposal to honor Dr. Green Vardaman Black of Chicago by the placing of a bronze bust of the famous dentist in the Jacksonville public library, was brought up for consideration and the members of the society were unanimously in favor of the plan. This is initiated as a joint undertaking on the part of both medical and dental societies and by the vote Thursday the latter organization went on record for securing the bust. Dr. Black, the father of Dr. C. E. Black of this city and Dr. Arthur Black of Chicago, is justly renowned as one of the founders of modern dental practice and is the author of a number of books of accepted authority. As a former resident of Jacksonville, the honor thus bestowed by local dentists and physicians will be indeed fitting.

On the resumption of the session at 2 o'clock, Miss Katherine Olmsted, public health nurse gave a talk on the need of dental examination in the schools and the work that may be done through the co-operation of the dental and medical societies. She stated that the need for tooth brushes is great. On requesting the children to bring them, few had means to purchase brushes and to show the willingness of the children, Miss Olmsted mentioned one tot who brought a brush belonging to her mother, a woman who had recently died with tuberculosis.

Miss Olmsted also impressed the need of co-operation between the dental society and the parent-teachers' associations for an educational campaign to bring to notice the great importance of prevention and the care of the teeth in early childhood. Following this address Dr. Alpha B. Applebee gave an illustrated lecture on "The Care and Use of the Mouth and Teeth." Slides were used throwing on the screen the photographs of the various teeth, commencing with the deciduous or baby teeth, showing the time of their eruption and the un-erupted permanent teeth just beneath. Particular attention was paid to the importance of looking after baby teeth and emphasis was laid upon the terrible consequences which follow neglect. Views of public school examinations in various Illinois cities showed 90 per cent of the children in need of dental attention. Delinquent children have been known to become good pupils after faulty mouth conditions have been corrected. At the close of the lecture it was unanimously voted to arrange with Dr. Applebee to repeat the lecture before the school children. The pictures shown were especially prepared for exhibit in the grades and the photographs are of such a nature as impress deeply the lessons they are designed to teach.

The Afternoon Clinics.

The meeting then divided into groups when the following clinics were given:

"Gold Inlay Construction"—Dr. E. B. Berry, Pittsfield.

"Exhibition of Root Fillings"—Dr. William Babcock, Jacksonville.

"Application of Silver Nitrate to Sensitive Teeth"—Dr. R. V. Hurdle, Mt. Sterling.

"Method of Casting Copping for Porcelain Crown"—Dr. E. L. Brown, Mt. Sterling.

At the business session it was voted that Drs. Young, Noyes, and Applebee arrange with the members in the surrounding towns for the exhibit of the illustrated lecture on "Care and Use of the Mouth and Teeth." Dr. Young emphasized the fact that this was the most important means of educating the child in importance of caring for the teeth. The dentist does not have the time to explain and show these conditions when in the office and proper attention in this regard will go far toward obviating necessity for painful operations in after years. The society adjourned until the next regular meeting in July.

AT THE GRAND

A packed house greeted Hodge and Lynes and supporting company last night in their vaudeville act. "A Night on a New York Roof Garden." The act which is really an evening's entertainment is given with special scenery and electrical effects and the big audience was very enthusiastic. Jack Hodge is a splendid comedian and his wife, known on the stage as Miss Lynes, proved equal talent as an entertainer. The members of the company sing and dance well and altogether give a performance of high class excellence and constitute one of the best offerings of the season at the Grand. The company will appear today and tomorrow in matinee and night performances.

Special convocation of Jacksonville chapter No. 3, R. A. M., this evening at 7:30. Work in R. A. degree. Refreshments.

P. V. Cooper, E. H. P. John R. Phillips, Secy.

PAST NOBLE GRAND CLUB.

The Past Noble Grand club of Rebekah lodge No. 13, held their regular meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Cobb. Following the business session a social hour was spent.

SEMI-ANNUAL ELECTION.

The Tarbes and Labor Assembly held the following semi-annual election Thursday night:

President—F. J. Muehlhausen.

Vice president—Edward J. Manz.

Secretary—A. L. Wood.

Financial Sec. and Treas.—F. G. Shannon.

Trustee—A. F. Schwertman.

Sergeant at Arms—Frank McKenna.

WILL RAISE QUARANTINE.

It is expected that the families now quarantined in the vicinity of Liberty for smallpox will soon be released as they are practically recovered from the disease.

PNEUMONIA THEME AT MEETING OF MORGAN COUNTY PHYSICIANS

Dr. J. M. Elder of Franklin Leads Interesting Discussion on Much-Fearred Disease—Standing Committees for Year Ensuing.

The treatment of croupous pneumonia was the theme of a profitable paper by Dr. J. M. Elder of Franklin Thursday evening at the January meeting of the Morgan County Medical Society, held in the medical library at 8 o'clock. The subject was discussed by practically all of the eighteen physicians present. Cases of professional interest were reported by Drs. Duncan, Crouch, Hairgrove and Cole.

The president, Dr. George H. Stacy, announced the committees for the year as follows:

Library—Drs. Carl E. Black, A. L. Adams and H. C. Waltman.

Milk Problem in Jacksonville—Drs. Josephine Milligan, Grace Dewey and Virginia Dinsmore.

Cancer—Drs. E. L. Crouch, A. R. Gregory, Jr., and G. R. Bradley.

Red Cross—Drs. Charles E. Cole, G. O. Webster and Walter L. Frank.

Contagious and Infectious Diseases—Drs. Josephine Milligan, A. M. King and T. O. Hardisty.

Public Health and Legislation—Drs. Edward Bowe, G. E. Baxter and C. E. Black.

The physicians at this meeting of the society were Drs. T. J. Pitner, W. L. Frank, A. E. Foley, J. A. Ogram, C. E. Black, W. P. Duncan, J. M. Elder, D. W. Reid, E. L. Crouch, G. W. Bradley, C. K. Lowe, F. A. Norris, J. W. Hairgrove, C. E. Cole, G. H. Stacy, G. E. Baxter, J. C. Thompson and T. G. McLin.

NEW SPRING MILLINERY ON SALE AT HERMAN'S.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

Athens Temple No. 23, S. M. held their regular installation of officers as follows, with Rev. J. W. Muse as installing officer and Ellen Coen, conductress.

Worthy Princess—Fannie Strong.

Vice Princess—Madamora Bryant.

Secretary—Ada Williams.

Ass't Sec.—Fannie Jordan.

Worthy Chaplain—Anna Wright.

S. Marshal—Myrtle Carter.

Junior Marshal—Sallie Williams.

Pilot—Mary E. Moxley.

Zillier—Addie Moore.

W. Jousha—G. W. Cooper.

W. Treasurer—Ada Cooper.

Sick committee—Mrs. Amelia Sharp, chairman, and Dora Clark.

Big Carnival, J. H. S., Saturday, January 16, 7:30. Athletic benefit.

K. OF P. LODGE NO 376

INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS.

At a regular meeting of Knights of Pythias lodge No. 376 held last night the new officers recently elected were installed in their various offices for the year. Thomas Six of Waverly acted as installing officer. The following are the officers of the lodge:

C. C.—Gilbert Masters.

V. C.—Charles P. Godfrey.

Prelate—John W. Chipchase.

M. of W.—Frank Bracewell.

K. of R. & S.—Oren H. Cook.

M. of F.—Jewell Scott.

M. of E.—L. B. Turner.

M. of A.—Fred Jameson.

I. G.—Arthur Conlee.

O. G.—A. R. Myrick.

Charles Reinhart was installed as trustee for three years.

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MISSIONARY SOCIETY OFFICERS.

Members of the Westminster church missionary societies have recently chosen the following officers.

Mrs. R. R. Stevenson, president of the foreign society; Miss Hattie Phillips, president of the home society; Mrs. J. Marshall Miller, secretary of both societies; Mrs. Enslay Moore, treasurer of the home society and Mrs. Julia Holmes, treasurer foreign society.

Basketball: Rount vs. Bluffs, Friday night, Liberty Hall, 8 o'clock.

TO HOLD SERVICES SUNDAY.

The memorial services for Robert Stacy will be held at the Salvation Army hall next Sunday night conducted by Captain J. M. Pinkston.

NORTHMINSTER WELL FILLED ON THURSDAY EVENING

Good Crown Hear Pastor's Discourse on "Flight to God."

A large audience filled the auditorium at Northminster last evening and showed great interest in Rev. Mr. Spoons' talk.

The usual song service was held preceding the sermon. The chorus was accompanied by the orchestra. Frank Bracewell sang "Keep Sweet", the choir joining in the chorus. Rev. Mr. Bracewell of Chesterfield, Ill., made the opening prayer. Quotations from the Bible were called for and many among the audience responded. Prof. Harry Beckman then sang "Choose Now." The invitation to come forward was given and a number of young men responded to the call. A camp meeting song of the old fashioned sort, was then sung, with the pastor leading, entitled, "Oh Father will you meet us on Canaan's shore?"

Tonight the subject of Rev. Mr. Spoons' sermon will be a surprise. No subject was announced last night.

Among the "hot shots" last night were the following:

"If I don't hit some of you, pardon me, for I don't want to miss anyone."

"If you are hit, keep your mouth closed. No one will know it."

"I am not preaching to you but I am preaching for Christ."

"I take off my hat to every soldier who wears the bronze button, although there are some things behind some who wear the bronze button that I would not take off my hat to."

"There are a whole lot of you folks around Jacksonville that seem to think everything is all right."

"I believe in educating the head instead of educating the heels."

"I want to use the lancet and open some of the sores and let the corruption out."

"If I had my way about it I would tax every old bachelor in this city to support six children and I would send along the old maids to help care for them."

"Flight to God."

It is a great blessing that David was not an untamed man. We all have been blessed by his painful experiences. May it not be a blessing to others that we also are tried. Let us flee unto God as he did. We shall profit by our foes if we do as this prudent warrior in his habitual way of escaping from his enemies. The great point is however not only to see what David did, but to do the like promptly and constantly. Let us consider the essentials in order to our copying the man of God.

And after having considered the same, let us put in execution the same, so as to profit by such as will enable us to overcome the foes and enemies of the world.

A perception of danger. No man will flee if he is not afraid. There must be a knowledge of approaching danger or there will be no flight.

Men perish because they have no knowledge of danger. The noxious air is not observed, the sun is not seen; the train rushes to collision unwarned.

Ignorance of the danger makes the danger inevitable. Men will dare to die without fear of hell; they will sin and have no dread of any ill consequences.

Men will play with an evil habit and will not believe in its power to enslave them. They think they can drink or let it alone. Men will toy with temptations and refuse to see how certain to lead them into actual wrong.

Every man is really in danger. The sinner is asleep on the top of a mast. Young and old are both in jeopardy. Even the saints are in peril of temptation from many sources.

Some dangers are slowly perceived. Those connected with sweet sins, those which grow out of a boasting mind; those which are usually the examples of others—the most dangerous the serpent, the less likely to be seen.

The spiritual man is led to perceive danger by a spiritual sensitiveness, which is the result of a devotion by experience or the result of observation.

A sense of weakness. No man will flee for hiding if he feels able to fight the matter through his own strength.

We are all weak and unable to cope with sin. Some men think themselves mighty men of valor but these are the weakest of the weak.

Past failure should teach us not to trust our own strength.

In a deep sense of weakness we are made strong. In the athlete, education, etc., in fancied strength lies the worst of weakness. A prudent foresight. "I flee unto thee to hide me." He would not venture into the danger or what all it overtook him; but he took time by the forelock and fled; often this is the highest form of courage.

Escape through fear is admirable prudence. It is not a mean motive; for Noah "moved by fear prepared an ark."

While we can flee we should. For time may come when we shall be unable. David said, "I flee"; he means I am fleeing now. I always do flee unto my God. Man should not live like a beast who can see no further than the meadow in which he lives, but he should foresee evil and hide himself.

A solid confidence. "To thee to hide me."

He was sure—

That there was safety in God; that he might flee to God; that he might flee there then.

An active faith. He did not lie still but aroused himself. This may be clearly seen; in his fleeing to God; directness, speed, eagerness. In his after prayer. Secure your best friend. Be reconciled to God. Make constant use of Him. Flee to Him at all times. How safe the righteous; how exposed the wicked.

Big Carnival, J. H. S., Saturday, January 16, 7:30. Athletic benefit.

Your Savings will Repay You to Come Any Distance to This Sale

MYERS BROTHERS.

NINETEENTH SEMI-ANNUAL

January Clearance Sale!

This twice yearly event is the most looked for economic buying opportunity in this section. Men who are familiar with clothing clearance sales await this opportunity to buy choice, desirable, seasonable merchandise at values that are unmatched in this community. These sales enable us to clear our stocks completely and make many new friends for MYERS BROS' CLOTHES.

Men's and Young Men's Suits

You'll find the most desirable assortment of Suits that you have ever seen at sale prices. All neat, staple fabrics, no odds and ends or freakish styles. Buy one or more for later use. It's a good buy.

\$30.00 Suits, clearance	\$18.75
\$25.00 Suits, clearance	\$16.25
\$20.00 Suits, clearance	\$14.25
\$18.00 Suits, clearance	\$11.25
\$15.00 Suits, clearance	\$10.00
\$12.50 Suits, clearance	\$ 8.50
\$10.00 Suits, clearance	\$ 7.25
\$ 7.50 Suits, clearance	\$ 4.75

Special—10 Per Cent Off on Blue Serges

Men's and Young Men's Overcoats

Including the season's newest models. Balmacans, close fitting coats, long 52-inch coats, single and double breasted, shawl and convertible collars, conservative 46-inch coats, Chincheilas, all shades, Kerseys and Cassimere effects. If you need an Overcoat, buy it now.

\$25.00 Overcoats, clearance	\$15.00
\$20.00 Overcoats, clearance	\$13.50
\$18.00 Overcoats, clearance	\$11.50
\$15.00 Overcoats, clearance	\$ 9.50
\$12.50 Overcoats, clearance	\$ 7.50
\$10.00 Overcoats, clearance	\$ 6.50
\$ 7.50 Overcoats, clearance	\$ 4.50

10 Per Cent Off on Cravenettes and Raincoats

Manhattan Shirts

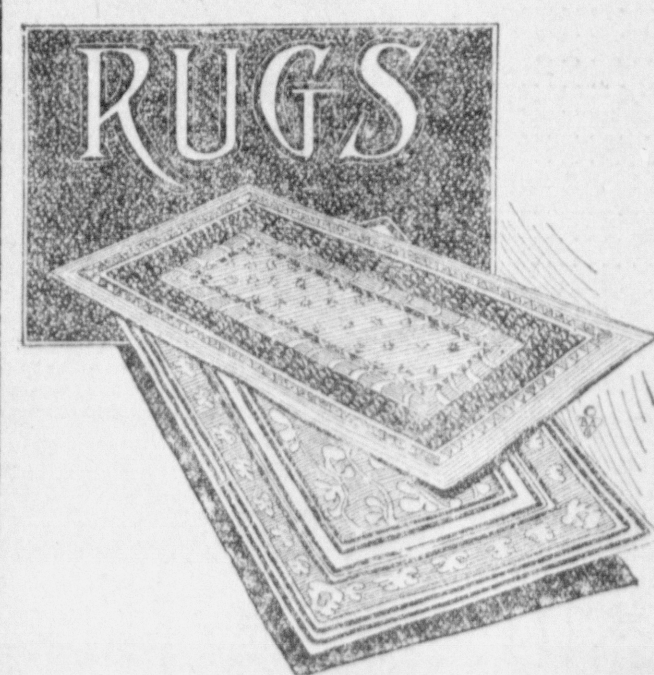
Francy Pleat and Negligee, soft and stiff cuff, Silk and Madras, fast colors.

\$1.50 Manhattans	now \$1.15
\$2.00 Manhattans	now \$1.38
\$2.50 Manhattans	now \$1.88
\$3.00 Manhattans	now \$2.25
\$3.50 Manhattans	now \$2.65
\$4.00 Manhattans	now \$2.85
Fancy Neckband and Collar Attached and Separate Soft Collar, Soft and Stiff Cuff Shirts.	
\$1.50 Shirts	now \$1.15
\$1.00 Shirts	now \$ 79c
\$.50 Shirts	now \$.43

January Rag Rug Sale

In Our Carpet Department—Starting Monday

This should be of special interest to every one that is in need of RAG RUGS. We are going to reduce these from 15 to 40 per cent. We will also include several other different qualities in Bath and Bed Room Rugs which in some instances will be sold for less than half price. Below you will find a few values listed.



36x72 new Rag Rugs,	\$1.85
\$2.25 values	
30x60 New Rag Rugs,	\$1.35
\$1.75 values	
27x54 New Rag Rugs,	95c
1.50 values	
24x48 New Rag Rugs,	79c
\$1.00 values	
18x36 New Rag Rugs,	49c
65c values	

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